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Shot Hunter Has Heart Scare

Pellet lodged in Cheney victim causes minor heart attack

CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS | The 78-year-old lawyer wounded by Vice President Dick Cheney in a hunting accident suffered a mild heart attack Tuesday after a shotgun pellet in his chest traveled to his heart, hospital officials said.

Harry Whittington was immediately moved back to the intensive care unit and will be watched for a week to make sure more of the metal pellets do not reach other vital organs. He was reported in stable condition.

Doctors said they decided to treat the situ-

ation conservatively and leave the pellet alone rather than operate to remove it. They said they are highly optimistic Whittington will recover and live a healthy life with the pellet in him. Asked whether the pellet could move farther into his heart and become fatal, hospital officials said that was a hypothetical question they could not answer.

Cheney, an experienced hunter, has not spoken publicly about the accident, which took



Whittington

place Saturday night while the vice president was aiming for a quail. Critics of the Bush administration called for more answers from the Cheney himself.

Senate Democratic Leader Harry Reid of Nevada called the furor over the accident and the White House's delay in making it public "part of the secretive nature of this administration." LYNN BRESOSKY (AP)

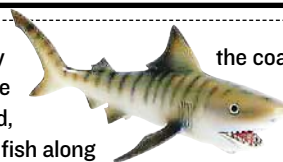
♦ **Shot in the foot:** Cheney's misfires have accelerated his slide from administration asset to liability | **Page 3**

Ligety Lifts U.S. After Miller Falters



BODE DOUBLE: Ted Ligety of the U.S., center, is embraced by teammates Tuesday after winning the gold medal in the men's combined. With colorful star Bode Miller disqualified, Ligety stepped in to break the Americans' streak of bad luck in Alpine skiing. ♦ **Ligety split:** Young skier comes up big | **Page 13**

DUH | Making the Wade The shark feeding frenzy off Australia's Gold Coast didn't keep everyone out of the water. Beaches were closed as more than 100 hammerhead, gray nurse and bronze whaler sharks fed off schools of fish along



the coast, but one man waded in the water on Monday anyway. He was bitten on the leg and needed 11 stitches. Officials have urged people to stick to beaches protected by shark nets or where lifeguards are on patrol. (AP) **EyeOpeners** | **Page 2**

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SKIVVIES

Undress Rehearsal

Parents and students of a Glen Ellyn, Ill., high school are upset a student play has been canceled after the actors were punished for rehearsing in their underwear, WLS-TV reported. Nine students putting on the production "Raised in Captivity" decided to perform the play in their underwear to help students suffering from stage fright; the girls wore togas and the boys boxer shorts. When school officials got word, they dished out suspensions and other punishments. "None of us are mad at getting suspended, detentions, anything else. We just feel it was very wrong to cancel our show we've been working very hard on," said Cherice Cosentino, an actress in the play. (AP)

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WEAPONS

Sticking it to the Fans

Linda White thinks the Air Canada Center in Toronto should take a penalty for unsportsmanlike conduct after refusing to let her son Brody into Saturday's game with his Maple Leaf sign, because it was deemed a weapon. Brody — who was attending his first ever Maple Leafs game — was wearing the team's jersey, puck-head-hat, fake tattoos on his face, a No.-1 foam finger and a No. 1-Leafs cardboard placard that his father made and players had signed. But then security told him the sign was considered a weapon because of the small stick on the back used to hold it. "The stick on the back is not much bigger than a paint stir stick," Linda White said. (AP)



INSECTS

Love Bugs

These newlyweds are head-over-heels in larvae. Kanchana "Scorpion Queen" Ketkaew kissed husband Bunthawee Siengwong — that's the one putting the centipede in his mouth — during their wedding ceremony on Tuesday in Pattaya, Thailand. Kanchana holds a world record, certified by the Guinness Book of World Records in 2002, for staying in a plastic cage with 3,400 scorpions for 32 days. Bunthawee holds a world record for staying in a cage with 1,000 centipedes for 28 days. (EXPRESS)

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DIRECTIONS

Road Age

Ratzburg, Germany, police had to resort to shutting down a highway to stop an elderly man driving down the wrong side of the road, apparently so convinced he was in the right that he continually blinked his lights at oncoming traffic, authorities said. Police sounded bullhorns and flashed emergency lights from 10 cars to try and get the man to pull over, but he continued along at 65 mph for about 40 miles before stopping at a roadblock. (AP)

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PILL OF RIGHTS: The Massachusetts state pharmacy board ordered Wal-Mart on Tuesday to stock emergency contraception pills at its stores across the state, making it the second state to require the retailer to carry the morning-after pill.



Nation

In Brief

COLUMBUS, OHIO

School Board Loses Lesson Plan Critical of Evolution

The Ohio school board voted Tuesday to eliminate a passage in the state's science standards that critics said opened the door to the teaching of intelligent design. The Ohio Board of Education decided 11-4 to delete material encouraging students to seek evidence for and against evolution. The 2002 science standards include a disclaimer that they do not require the teaching of intelligent design. (AP)

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

Mentally Disturbed Man Arrested in Copycat Fire

A man described as mentally disturbed was jailed Tuesday on suspicion of setting fire to an abandoned church in what authorities said was a copycat of the recent church arsons in rural Alabama. Officials said the arrest was not otherwise linked to the fires that have destroyed or damaged 10 rural Baptist churches since Feb. 3. Investigators believe the suspect, whom they identified as Jason Phillips, 21, also started several brush fires after watching news coverage of the church arsons. (AP)

Spy Probe Losing Steam

→ A White House lobbying campaign has slowed congressional efforts to launch an investigation into the domestic surveillance program | **Today, Page A1**

IN The Washington Post

Cheney Thrust Onto Center Stage

Analysis: The veep's independent streak is hurting White House

WASHINGTON | At the start of the Bush presidency, Dick Cheney was viewed as the grown-up, the seasoned hand to guide an inexperienced president. Now, he's the center of controversy.

His accidental shooting of a hunting companion and the administration's fumbles in getting out the word underscore the secrecy and near independence under which the vice president operates — and it all sent the White House scrambling on Tuesday to find the right tone when the victim's condition

took a turn for the worse.

After first defensively fielding questions on why disclosure of the Saturday shooting was delayed until the next day, Press Secretary Scott McClellan joked about the situation with reporters at his morning briefing. Later, he turned somber after doctors in Corpus Christi, Texas, said the Austin lawyer shot by Cheney — Henry Whittington, 78 — had suffered a minor heart attack after birdshot from Cheney's blast migrated to his heart.

The shooting presents a new problem for the White House as it seeks to repair damaged credibility in a midterm election year in which continued GOP control of Congress hangs in the balance.

Cheney, 65, whose "favorable" rating was just 24 percent in a recent CBS-New York Times poll, has found himself in other storms swirling around the Bush presidency.



Cheney

His strong insistence that Saddam Hussein had weapons of mass destruction helped build the case for the U.S. invasion of Iraq. He also has played the role of point man in the National Security Agency's warrantless wiretapping program in the war on terror.

And, more recently, his indicted former chief of staff — I. Lewis

"Scooter" Libby — testified to a grand jury about being authorized to disclose classified information to the press in the CIA leak case "by his superiors," according to court documents.

Questions linger over why so much time passed before Saturday's shooting was made public and before Cheney and members of his party were interviewed by local law enforcement.

Cheney himself has uttered no words publicly about the mishap, avoiding reporters on Tuesday. His office issued a terse, unsigned statement describing Whittington's condition and saying that Cheney had phoned him from the White House.

TOM RAUM (AP)

NEW YORK | PAIRS WED AT EMPIRE STATE BUILDING



MONKEY LOVE: Army Specialist David Alonso and Natalie Malloy of Brooklyn, N.Y., pose with King Kong Tuesday after getting married on top of the Empire State Building, where 13 couples got married or renewed vows.

TIMOTHY A. CLARY/GETTY IMAGES

House Report Slams Katrina 'Passivity'

WASHINGTON. | Government at all levels took only an indifferent stance toward disaster preparations after the 2001 terror attacks, leaving the Gulf Coast unnecessarily vulnerable to Hurricane Katrina, a House inquiry concluded in a final report set for release Wednesday.

Finding fault from the White House down to local parish officials, the House investigation concluded that authorities failed to move quickly to protect people — even when faced with warnings days ahead of the storm last Aug. 29.

The final report, written by a Republican-dominated special House committee, was obtained

Tuesday night by The Associated Press. Parts of the report were released last Sunday.

"Passivity did the most damage," concluded the 520-page report by the committee, chaired by Rep. Tom Davis, R-Va., charged with investigating the sluggish response to Katrina. "The failure of initiative cost lives, prolonged suffering, and left all Americans justifiably concerned our government is no better prepared to protect its people than it was before 9/11, even if we are."

"The preparation for and response to Hurricane Katrina should disturb all Americans," the report said.

LARA JAKES JORDAN (AP)

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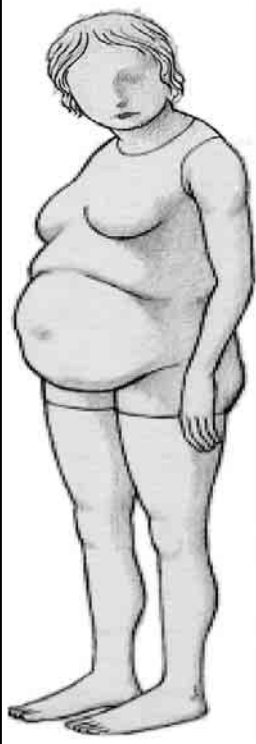
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The cost over 10 years of discharging troops under the Pentagon's "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" policy on gays, a University of California report says.

Judge Ejects Moussaoui

Disruptions lead alleged al Qaeda conspirator to be barred from court

ALEXANDRIA, VA. | Confessed al Qaeda conspirator Zacarias Moussaoui again disrupted his sentencing trial with insults and epithets Tuesday and was barred from the courtroom while a jury is selected to decide whether he is put to death or imprisoned for life.

After verbally sparring with Moussaoui for about 15 minutes, U.S. District Judge Leonie Brinkema ordered that he must watch the remainder of jury selection from his cell. That could take until March 6, when opening statements are scheduled.

Moussaoui was ejected four times on Feb. 6 when he denounced his court-appointed lawyers in front of



Zacarias Moussaoui, right, speaks in court Tuesday in this artist's rendering.

prospective jurors.

The 37-year-old Frenchman of Moroccan descent pleaded guilty last year to conspiring with al Qaeda to fly planes into U.S. buildings but has denied any role in the Sept. 11 attacks.

At various points, he called President Bush "a crusader" who was "launching a new campaign of revenge against terrorists."

Brinkema repeatedly tried to quiet him, but Moussaoui complained that for four years she had denied him a chance to explain his objections to the lawyers.

Brinkema ruled Moussaoui had forfeited his right to be present for jury selection but said she might reconsider if he later agreed to behave. **MICHAEL J. SNIFFEN (AP)**

Gay Bishop Enters Rehab for Alcoholism

CONCORD, N.H. | The Episcopal Church's first openly gay bishop, V. Gene Robinson, is being treated for alcoholism, a step that surprised friends and colleagues but seemed unlikely to threaten his position.

A key administrative committee said it stood by Robinson,

whose 2003 election as bishop of New Hampshire caused a furor in worldwide Anglicanism because he lives with a same-sex partner.

"I am writing to you from an alcohol treatment center where on Feb. 1, with the encouragement and support of my partner, daughters and

colleagues, I checked myself in to deal with my increasing dependence on alcohol," Robinson wrote in an e-mail to clergy Monday.

Robinson's assistant at the Diocese of New Hampshire, the Rev. Tim Rich, said Tuesday that a growing awareness of his problem — rather than a crisis — led to Robinson's decision. **(AP)**

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Racketeering Trial Begins for Gotti

Mobster's son back in court over alleged kidnapping plot

NEW YORK | The son of late mob boss John Gotti returned to court Tuesday for retrial on racketeering charges that include a violent plot to kidnap Guardian Angels founder Curtis Sliwa.

A jury last fall acquitted John A. "Junior" Gotti of securities fraud but deadlocked on racketeering counts, leading to the retrial.

Jury selection started Tuesday with the judge announcing that 71 prospective jurors among 250 who filled out questionnaires were dis-

qualified.

Opening statements were scheduled to begin next week.



Gotti

Gotti seemed near a court-house surprise last fall when U.S. District Judge Shira Scheindlin considered if the mis-trial should be an

acquittal because the jury failed to find Gotti had committed at least two related acts of racketeering. Instead, she ordered a retrial on charges that he ordered a botched 1992 plot to abduct Sliwa.

LARRY NEUMEISTER (AP)

NEW YORK | POOCHES PRANCE FOR BEST IN SHOW



TOP DOGS: Cocker spaniels Calif, left, from Quebec, Canada, and Polo from Carson City, Nev., wait backstage Tuesday for their turn to compete in the Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show in New York's Madison Square Garden.

Fla. Killer Asks Judge for Mercy

SARASOTA, FLA. | A weeping Joseph Smith apologized Tuesday for the abduction, rape and murder of 11-year-old Charlie Brucia two years ago, telling a judge he had taken large amounts of cocaine and heroin that day in hopes of killing himself.

Smith told Circuit Judge Andrew Owens, who will sentence him to death or life in prison, "I do not ask

for mercy for myself. The only thing I can see to give me a life sentence is for my family. I do not want to see them hurt any further."

Brucia was abducted while walking home from a friend's house in February 2004, an attack that was caught on a car wash surveillance tape and broadcast nationwide.

A jury found the 39-year-old guilty last November and recommended by a 10-2 vote that he be executed. Owens will ultimately sentence Smith on March 15. (AP)

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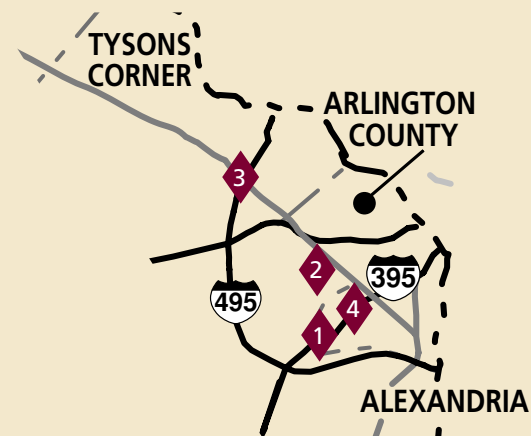
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IN THE HOLE: A golf course in Malaysia has a bigger problem than players cheating on their handicaps — someone stole the aluminum liners from 12 of its holes, apparently to be sold as scrap metal. "The thief or thieves must really be desperate," officials said.

Tehran Confirms Enrichment

But Iranian official also says talks with Russia will go forward

TEHRAN, IRAN | Iran has resumed small-scale enrichment of uranium, a senior Iranian nuclear negotiator said Tuesday — a defiant declaration in the face of global opposition to Iran's atomic program.

The resumption still leaves Iran a long way from reaching the stage many governments fear most: large-scale enrichment of uranium — a process that can produce fuel for an atomic bomb.

Javad Vaeidi, deputy secretary of Iran's Supreme National Security Council, in announcing the small-scale enrichment, also told reporters that Iran would resume negotiations with Moscow on Feb. 20 over its plan to enrich Iranian uranium on Russian soil — a proposal designed to allay fears that Iran will build nuclear weapons.

The negotiations with Russia had been due to resume Thursday, but Iran said Monday they were postponed indefinitely.

Vaeidi gave no indication whether Iran was looking more favorably at the plan now that international pressure over its nuclear program was increasing. ALI AKBAR DAREINI (AP)

Cartoon Violence Rages in Pakistan

At least 2 people die in fresh outrage aimed at Western businesses

LAHORE, PAKISTAN | Thousands rampaged through two cities Tuesday in Pakistan's worst violence against Prophet Muhammad caricatures, burning buildings housing a hotel, banks and a KFC, vandalizing a Citibank and breaking windows at a Holiday Inn and a Pizza Hut.

At least two people were killed in Lahore, where intelligence officials suspected outlawed Islamic mili-

tant groups incited the violence to undermine President Gen. Pervez Musharraf's U.S.-allied government.

In the capital, Islamabad, hundreds of students stormed through the main entrance of the tightly guarded enclave that houses most foreign embassies, brandishing sticks and throwing stones. They were dispersed with tear gas, and no foreigners were hurt.

The unruly protests and deaths marked an alarming spike in the unrest in Pakistan over the cartoons, which first appeared in a

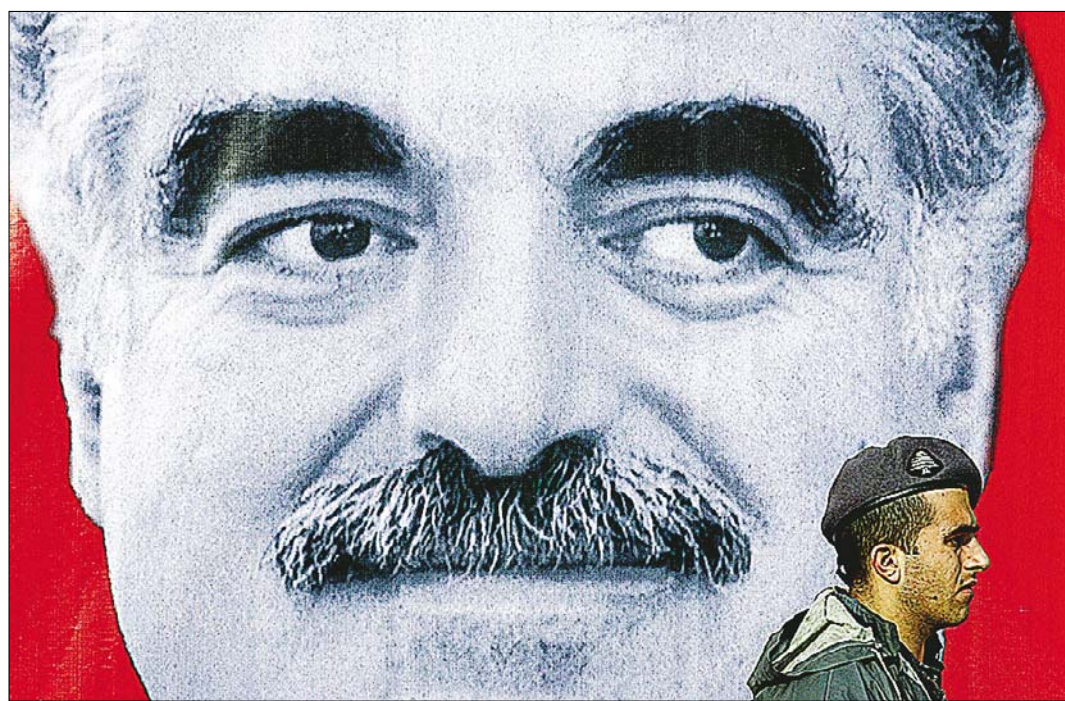


A policeman beats protesters during a demonstration in Lahore, Pakistan.

Danish newspaper in September and have been reprinted by other Western newspapers. Many in this conservative Islamic country, as across the Muslim world, regard any depiction of the prophet as blasphemous.

Witnesses said rioters damaged over 200 cars, dozens of shops — many locally owned — and a large portrait of Musharraf. American brands were targeted. Protesters vandalized a Citibank branch and broke windows at a Holiday Inn hotel, a Pizza Hut and a McDonald's restaurants. ASIF SHAHZAD (AP)

LEBANON | HARIRI'S ASSASSINATION, ONE YEAR LATER



LIVING LEGACY: A police officer walks in front of a poster of Lebanon's slain former Prime Minister Rafik Hariri during a rally in Beirut Tuesday to mark the first anniversary of his assassination. Hundreds of thousands turned out to commemorate Hariri's death, a momentous event that led to the end of neighboring Syria's long domination of Lebanon.

Saddam Protests Trial Anew

Ex-leader claims he and 3 co-defendants are on hunger strike

BAGHDAD, IRAQ | After shouts, insults, arguments and walkouts, Saddam Hussein and three of his co-defendants unveiled a new show-stealing tactic Tuesday: They announced in court that they had gone on hunger strike.

Saddam said the strike was called to protest the tough way chief judge Raouf Abdel-Rahman has conducted the court since he took over last month.

"For three days we have been holding a hunger strike protesting against your way of treating us — against you and your masters," the former Iraqi leader said. Their claims could not be independently confirmed.

After a short period of shouting at the start of Tuesday's session, the court was calm as prosecutors tried for a second day to build their case of the ousted president's direct role in executions and imprisonment of hundreds of Shiites in the 1980s. (AP)



Saddam

PERU | THEY DO



WED: Juan Carlos Poma kisses his new wife, Lizbeth, in a huge civil wedding ceremony held for Valentine's Day in Callao, Peru.

Nigerian Warns on Bird Flu's Spread

KADUNA, NIGERIA | A Nigerian official warned Tuesday that bird flu was fast spreading in the country, and a U.N. expert said the strain may have surfaced in a second African country.

The H5N1 strain was first confirmed in Africa last week in fowl on a large commercial farm near Jaji, in Kaduna state.

"We have received reports that the disease is fast spreading to other farms across the state," said Shehu Bawa, the head of a bird flu committee in Nigeria's northern Kano state.

H5N1 has killed at least 91 people, mostly in Asia, since 2003. No human cases have been confirmed in Africa, and bird cases have been

confirmed only in Nigeria.

But Niger, the world's least-developed nation, has said it was investigating two roosters found dead in a market in Zinder, near the Nigerian border.

Also Tuesday, two dead swans in northern Germany preliminarily tested positive for the deadly H5N1 bird flu strain, a government official said Tuesday. If confirmed, it would be the country's first case. (AP)

World



Supporters of presidential candidate Rene Preval block a road in Port-au-Prince, Haiti, with tires on Tuesday to protest allegations of fraud in the recent election.

Haiti's Preval Says 'Errors' Mar Vote

Presidential favorite backs fraud suspicions, urges peaceful protests

PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI | Leading presidential candidate Rene Preval claimed Tuesday that "gross errors" and likely fraud marred the vote that saw him fall just short of a first-round victory, and he said he would contest the results.

He also urged supporters to protest peacefully, a day after at least one pro-Preval demonstrator was killed and followers elsewhere occupied a hotel.

White U.N. armored vehicles shoved aside roadblocks of junked cars, old refrigerators and other debris blocking the streets of the capital Tuesday, and most were clear by mid-afternoon. Businesses remained shuttered, but street mar-

kets bustled with shoppers.

Preval, a former protege of ousted President Jean-Bertrand Aristide who enjoys wide support among the poor, called on followers to remove all roadblocks so people can get to work.

"I ask the Haitian people ... to be mature, to be responsible, to be nonviolent," Preval told reporters.

The most recent election results, which were posted on the electoral council's Web site Monday afternoon, showed Preval had 48.76 percent of the vote with 90 percent of ballots counted. He would need 50 percent plus one vote from the Feb. 7 election to win outright and avoid a March runoff.

"We are convinced that either massive fraud or gross errors stain the [electoral] process" Preval said, adding that the official results "do not correspond with reality." (AP)

Sharon's Son Gets Prison Time

JERUSALEM | The oldest son of incapacitated Prime Minister Ariel Sharon was sentenced Tuesday to nine months in prison for illegal fund-raising during his father's 1999 primary campaign.

The judge called the case against Omri Sharon a political "swamp that must be dried up."

However, Sharon, 41, will not have to serve his jail sentence immediately because of the Israeli leader's grave medical condition.

The younger Sharon oversaw parts of the campaign and fund-raising activities for his father's victory in a 1999 primary. Prosecutors claimed he received more than \$1.3 million from groups in Israel and overseas for his father's campaign, amounts that far exceeded legal fund-raising limits. (AP)

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Money

Retail Sales Show Growth

Buoyed by gift cards, consumers outpaced forecasts for January

WASHINGTON | U.S. consumers, lured to the malls by unusually warm weather and eager to spend their Christmas gift cards, boosted retail sales by a much larger than expected amount in January with sales outside of autos surging at the fastest pace in six years.

The Commerce Department said Tuesday that retail sales excluding autos were up 2.2 percent in January, the best showing in this category since late 1999. With autos included, retail sales rose by 2.3 per-



FILE/DOUGLAS C. PIZACIAP

Shoppers hit the stores in January, ready to spend their holiday gift cards.

cent, the best showing in 20 months. Overall retail sales had risen by a tiny 0.4 percent in December.

The overall increase was more than double what economists had been forecasting. They attributed the strong showing in part to the

mildest January in more than a century. This prompted consumers to troop to the stores to redeem the gift cards they had received in December.

"Warm weather and consumers' willingness to spend every penny they have led to a huge increase in retail sales," said Joel Naroff, head of Naroff Economic Advisors.

The overall economy, as measured by the gross domestic product, slowed to weak growth of just 1.1 percent in the final three months of last year. After viewing the retail sales report, some analysts said growth in the current quarter could come in at an annual rate of 5 percent or even higher. (AP)

In Brief

PONTIAC, MICH. GM Announces Plan To Invest \$545M in 5 Plants

General Motors Corp. said Tuesday that it will hire almost 300 workers and invest \$545 million in five Michigan plants. While the news was good for GM's home state, which has lost an estimated 130,000 auto manufacturing jobs in the last five years, the investment is dwarfed by

the struggling automaker's restructuring plan, which calls for shedding 30,000 jobs by 2008. A big chunk of the investment — \$163 million — will go to GM's Pontiac Assembly Center, which makes the Chevrolet Silverado and GMC Sierra pickups, a GM spokesman said. (AP)

ATLANTA Billionaire Buffett Won't Stay on Coca-Cola's Board

Billionaire investor Warren Buffett will not stand for re-election to The Coca-Cola Co.'s board of directors,

the world's biggest soft drink company said Tuesday. Buffett, who has been on the board since 1989 and is one of the company's biggest shareholders, told Coke he made his decision because of increased demands on his time resulting from acquisitions by his holding company, Berkshire Hathaway Inc. He said Berkshire Hathaway intends to retain its holdings of Coca-Cola stock, which regulatory filings show amounted to about 8.3 percent of the company's outstanding shares, as of last year. (AP)

Market Action

New York Stock Exchange

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Jarden s	27.99	+3.22	+13.0
GenesWyo	43.16	+4.42	+11.4
Mueller	29.90	+2.60	+9.5
Steinwy	33.85	+2.80	+9.0
CompssMn	24.49	+1.80	+7.9

Losers

WstnRef n	14.55	-1.45	-9.1
Transocn	72.10	-6.49	-8.3
HollyCp	56.75	-4.50	-7.3
Cendant	15.70	-1.12	-6.7
ParTech s	18.26	-1.24	-6.4

NASDAQ Stock Market

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
NCO Grp	21.03	+4.17	+24.7
Kendle	29.14	+4.74	+19.4
OrchidCell	7.20	+96	+15.4
RealNwk	8.53	+1.13	+15.3
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Losers

Rimage	22.40	-5.91	-20.9
GibiPay	2.22	-42	-15.9
Quotesmth	2.58	-45	-14.9
Cutera	26.00	-3.86	-12.9
ChinaESv n	6.84	-1.00	-12.8

Rates

	CURRENT	PREVIOUS WEEK
Prime Rate	7.50	7.50
Fed Funds close	4.50	4.50
3-month disc	4.57	4.39
2-year	4.69	4.60
10-year	4.61	4.57
30-year	4.59	4.66

Currency (Dollars in foreign currency)

	TODAY	PREVIOUS DAY	YEAR AGO
British Pound	.5763	.5738	.5295
Canadian Dollar	1.1527	1.1542	1.2345
European Euro	.8396	.8397	.7714
Japanese Yen	117.43	117.66	105.15
Mexican Peso	10.5030	10.5040	11.1460
Taiwanese Dollar	32.29	32.37	31.53

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Media Stocks

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	YEAR TO DATE PERCENT CHANGE
CBS B n	25.60	+.06	+4
ClearChan	28.70	+.04	-8.7
Comcast	26.55	+.35	+2.4
Comc sp	26.45	+.37	+3.0
DirectTV	15.07	+.17	+6.7
Disney	26.75	+.34	+11.6
Gannett	63.13	+.83	+4.2
LibtyMA	8.20	...	+4.2
McGrwH s	54.16	+.78	+4.9
NewsCpA	16.17	+.37	+4.0
NewsCpB	16.95	+.35	+2.0
Omnicom	81.87	-2.70	-3.8
Thomson	37.68	+.27	+8.9
TimeWarn	18.17	-.10	+4.2
ViacomB n	43.19	+.42	+5.0

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The minimum number of years convicted sex offenders in Virginia would be forced to serve in jail for certain violent sex offenses against children younger than 13, according to legislation approved by the House of Delegates on Tuesday.

Local

In Brief

WASHINGTON

Former Ward 8 Council Member Rolark Dies at 89

Wilhelmina Rolark, a D.C. civil rights activist and former Ward 8 Council member, died Tuesday at age 89 following a long battle with colon cancer, said Sonsyrea Tate, editor of *The Washington Informer*, the newspaper Rolark and her husband, Calvin W. Rolark, founded in 1964. She was also the co-founder of the United Black Fund, a nonprofit organization that benefits community-based organizations. As the group's general counsel, Rolark won major discrimination cases against the United Givers Fund and the Civil Service Commission. (AP)

ROCKVILLE, MD.

Montgomery Co. Taxi Gas Surcharge Made Permanent

The gasoline surcharge on taxi rides became a permanent fare hike under a measure approved Tuesday by the Montgomery County Council. Since September, cabbies have been collecting an extra \$1.50 per trip for fuel costs. With that now part of the regular fare, it will continue to cost \$4 to get into a taxi. Metered rates cover distance charges. (AP)

BURKE, VA.

2 Fairfax Firefighters Fall Into Icy Swimming Pool

Two Fairfax County firefighters had to be rescued Tuesday after they fell into a swimming pool on the scene of a two-alarm house fire. One firefighter fell into the icy water, which was hidden by snow, and another firefighter who tried to assist also fell in. Both suffered minor hypothermia. Fire crews were on the scene of the fire on Burning Branch Road around 1:45 a.m. (AP)

Williams Opens Rehabilitated House

Bought by non-profit, D.C. home's renovation featured on PBS show

WASHINGTON | Ravaged by fire and vacant for a decade, the brick rowhouse about a block from the Washington Convention Center was an eyesore.

Now, after a 3½ month renovation, the paint is gone and the brick has been restored to its original orange-reddish hue.

Inside, visitors are greeted by hardwood floors, a semicircular staircase and gleaming kitchen

appliances.

Mayor Anthony A. Williams and a gaggle of onlookers gathered Tuesday to celebrate the home's transformation and welcome the new owners, who will buy the three-bedroom, two-bath property for \$250,000 — far below market value.

"A family has a home," Williams said as he cut a giant red ribbon. "It's a great story."



Williams

The circa-1879 rowhouse, located on 6th Street, NW, is just one example of the transformation occurring in the city's rapidly gentrifying Shaw neighborhood, where real estate prices are soaring.

The rehabilitation was chronicled by the PBS home makeover show "This Old House."

The eight episodes featuring the home are airing Saturdays through April 1 on WETA-TV.

The home was purchased for \$1 by Mi Casa, a District of Columbia-based nonprofit that buys city buildings at below market rates and then sells them to middle- and low-

income families. Williams said the home was sold to Mi Casa as part of D.C.'s Home Again Initiative, in which the city takes control of vacant and abandoned properties from negligent owners through eminent domain and turns them over to developers.

The program began in 2002 to target at least 2,700 homes in neighborhoods with the highest concentrations of blight.

So far, more than 100 homes have been awarded to developers. At least one-third must be sold to low- and moderate-income families. BRIAN WESTLEY (AP)

IN The Washington Post | A MARATHON CAMPAIGN



MAYORAL STUMPING STARTS EARLY: D.C. Council Chair Linda Cropp hits the campaign trail in Northwest D.C. with an aide. A Cropp strategist said "[w]e've never had a race start this early. ... The old days of waiting until May, when people pick up petitions [to qualify], is over. | **Today in Metro**



MEET DAN: Metro's interim general manager, Dan Tangherlini, will be online on Friday at noon and will respond to questions about issues facing the transit agency during Metro's regular LunchTalk Online. Tangherlini officially takes over as Metro's head on Thursday. To register to ask a question during the online chat, go to forums-wmata.com. (EXPRESS)

Smoking Ban Proponents Tout Study

ANNAPOLIS, MD. | Proponents of a ban on smoking in Maryland's bars and restaurants added a new weapon to their arsenal this year — a study putting a price tag of almost \$600 million a year on the economic cost of exposure to secondhand smoke in Maryland.

The study that was released prior

to a legislative hearing Tuesday was conducted by the Johns Hopkins University.

Sponsors of bills to institute a statewide ban on smoking in bars and restaurants cited the economic study — along with direct health problems they said are caused by secondhand smoke — as justification for passing a law this year.

tion for passing a law this year.

The numbers tossed out by opponents of the bills were much smaller, but to them no less important, than the hundreds of millions of dollars cited by supporters of a smoking ban. Similar bills have died in House and Senate committees on very close vote in the past, and prospects for passage are uncertain again this year. TOM STUCKEY (AP)

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Driver Hits Fairfax Squad Car

Man who struck officer may have been drunk behind wheel

VIENNA, VA. | A Fairfax County police officer was recovering Tuesday after his squad car was hit by a car driven by an allegedly drunken driver, authorities said.

The accident happened late Monday night, while the unidentified officer was driving a marked car northbound on Gosnell Road in the Tysons Corner section of the county. Investigators said he saw another car heading straight at him, but it was too late to get out of the way. The police car was hit head on by a Nissan Altima, which was going south in the northbound lane and didn't have the headlights on.

The officer suffered non-life-threatening injuries. Police said he is 30 and an eight year veteran of the force. (AP)

The Lotteries

Tuesday, Feb. 14

DISTRICT

Mid-day Lucky Numbers	6-1-5 (White)
Evening Lucky Numbers	5-6-1 (White)
Mid-day DC 4	9-6-2-5
Evening DC 4	4-4-9-9
Rolling Cash Five	7-29-31-23-9
Daily 6	36-30-11-31-13-3 Bonus: 32

MARYLAND

Mid-day Pick 3	7-1-7
Evening Pick 3	1-1-7
Mid-day Pick 4	7-6-4-6
Evening Pick 4	2-0-8-0
Match 5	29-30-33-34-36 Bonus: 03

VIRGINIA

Mid-day Pick 3 (Tues.)	8-5-3
Evening Pick 3 (Mon.)	1-1-3
Mid-day Pick 4 (Tues.)	1-3-4-7
Evening Pick 4 (Mon.)	6-0-4-4
Mid-day Cash 5 (Tues.)	10-13-19-25-31
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HUGHES NEWS: Emily Hughes' long road to the Winter Olympics is almost over. The newest Olympian will arrive in Turin on Thursday, and skate for the first time the following day. She also will hold a news conference Friday afternoon.

Sports

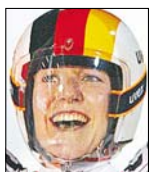
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MEDAL TRACKER



COUNTRY	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE	TOTAL
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United States	5	2	0	7
Germany	4	1	2	7
China	0	2	3	5
Netherlands	1	2	0	3
Canada	1	1	1	3
S. Korea	1	1	1	3
Italy	1	0	2	3

GOLD STANDARDS



→ Sylke Otto

became the second women's luger to win consecutive golds, leading Germany to its sixth medal sweep

in 12 Olympics. Courtney Zablocki of Highlands Ranch, Colo., was fourth to match her best international finish, but it wasn't enough to give the U.S. its first medal in the sport.

→ **Sweden** won two gold medals in cross-country skiing in 20 minutes, taking the men's (Bjoern Lind and Thobias Fredriksson) and women's (Lina Andersson and Anna Dahlberg) team sprints.

OTHER DEVELOPMENTS

→ **The U.S. women's hockey team** closed preliminary play Tuesday with a 7-3 win over Finland.

→ **Lindsey Kildow** was released from a hospital Tuesday, just 24 hours after she careened out of control and slammed into the frozen downhill course at 50 mph.

OLYMPIC TV LINEUP

SKIING (8 P.M. ON NBC) The women's downhill and men's mogul.

SPEEDSKATING (8 P.M. ON NBC) The women's 500m short track final.

MEN'S HOCKEY (3 P.M. ON USA) The U.S. starts play against Latvia.

WOMEN'S CURLING (8 A.M. ON USA) The struggling Americans face Denmark.

MEN'S CURLING (5 P.M. ON CNBC) The U.S. plays host Italy.



GOLDEN BOY: Ted Ligety became just the fourth American male to win a gold medal in an Alpine skiing event after he captured the combined in an upset on Tuesday.

Ligety Steals Spotlight from Miller

American wins combined; Bode is disqualified

SKIING | Not that long ago, Ted Ligety was everything Bode Miller is not: unknown, unsponsored, unaccomplished.

Now, thanks both to his own clean, aggressive skiing and errors by Miller and other favorites, Ligety is an Olympic champion.

Miller still is not.

"It's great to be where I am," the 21-year-old Ligety said, "but

it's unexpected, that's for sure."

Never before a competitor at a Winter Games, never before a winner of any major race, Ligety produced two spectacular slalom runs to pull out the combined event Tuesday night, only the fourth time in Olympic history an American man has collected a gold medal in Alpine skiing.

A few hours before, it appeared

Miller might win that medal. Fastest in the downhill portion of the three-leg event, he was disqualified after straddling a gate in the first slalom.

In 32nd place following the afternoon downhill, Ligety took a star turn under the floodlights during the evening slalom. He was as consistent as a metronome, rocking smoothly back and forth, back and forth, smacking away gates with his orange gloves and black shin guards.

When he finished his final run, the day's fastest at 43.84 seconds, the youngster nicknamed "Ligety Split" raised his hands and took a well-deserved bow.

Miller took the day's events in stride. "I don't really intend to get that disappointed," he said, then managed to make a joke: "I mean, at least I don't have to go all the way down to Torino tomorrow" for the medal ceremony.

HOWARD FENDRICH (AP)

Weir's Best Second Only to Plushenko

FIGURE SKATING | Evgeni Plushenko's biggest fan Tuesday night was his closest competitor — U.S. champion Johnny Weir.

Weir marveled at the 90.66 points the Russian star put up in the Olympic men's short program. Plushenko's personal best gave him more than a 10-point lead over the three-time U.S. champ, a massive gap.

"It's wild. I didn't think anyone would get above 80.00," Weir said.

Plushenko soared far beyond it and pretty much put the gold medal in his pocket.



FRANK FIFE/AP/GETTY IMAGES

Plushenko, winner of three world titles, was Weir's pick for gold before the Olympics began and Weir still doesn't think there's much of a chance he'll lose in Thursday night's free skate.

"If he falls three times, maybe, just maybe someone can squeeze by," said Weir, who was more than happy with his personal-best 80.00 score. "It's over, it's done, it's Valentine's Day and I can go buy myself a rose and some chocolate," he said.

BARRY WILNER (AP)

Russia's Evgeni Plushenko put up his personal-best 90.66 on Tuesday night.

Russian Mother Speeds Off With Her First Gold

SPEEDSKATING | Mother Russia is an Olympic champion. Juggling motherhood and speedskating, Svetlana Zhurova won gold in the women's 500-meter sprint Tuesday with a 2-year-old son cheering her on back home near St. Petersburg.

She resumed training just over a year ago, lost 40 pounds and came through last month with the biggest win of her career, capturing the world sprint championship at age 34. She topped that in Turin with the first medal in her fourth Olympics. (AP)

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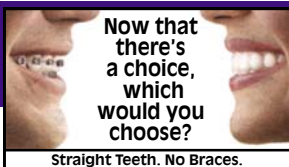
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Sports

Troubled Gretzky Arrives in Turin

Team Canada's leader again tells the world that he didn't gamble

HOCKEY | Wayne Gretzky said he didn't do it. Again. Gretzky said his own troubles won't affect Canada's supposedly good-as-gold Olympic hockey team. He said that again, too.

Looking tired and drawn, Gretzky arrived at the Olympics with Team Canada on Tuesday, repeating what he has said for days but is vowing not to say again. And that is he placed no wagers with a betting ring allegedly run by one of his best friends and possibly patronized by Gretzky's own wife.

"As I said seven days ago, it doesn't involve me. I'm not involved," Gretzky said. "I've said it for seven days, it's over and done with."

But where he said it — at the Olympics, the world's showcase of sports — was different. So was the size of the audience — his press conference



Gretzky

was televised live throughout Canada, where the National Hockey League's all-time leading scorer is an icon.

Now, like it or not, Gretzky understands his problems could immerse others should Canada not live up to its expectations in a tournament it won in 2002 and is expected to win again.

"If we don't win the gold medal obviously I'll get blamed, but I've been blamed for losses before. It's not going to change my life," said Gretzky, who is Team Canada's executive director. ALAN ROBINSON (AP)

BIATHLON | GERMANY'S GOLDENEYE



THE FISCHER KING: Germany's Sven Fischer, who didn't miss a shot on Tuesday, poses with his gold medal after winning the Men's Biathlon 10km Sprint on Tuesday in Turin. It was his first gold in four Olympic Games.

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CURLING IRON: The U.S. men's curling team (2-1) picked up a 10-4 victory over New Zealand in eight ends on Tuesday, wrapping things up two frames early a day after a last-rock loss to Finland. Meanwhile, Canada (1-1) scored five points in the first end and coasted to an easy victory that left the U.S. women winless after two Olympic women's curling matches. (AP)



PENNINGTON FOR YOUR THOUGHTS: The New York Jets are attempting to renegotiate — and likely lessen the dollar amount of — the contract of quarterback Chad Pennington, who missed much of the last two seasons because of an injured throwing shoulder.

Sports

Wizards Aim to Solve Road Woes

Washington heads to Dallas for last game before All-Star break

WIZARDS | No one thought the Wizards' win streak would go on forever. But instead of worrying about yet another slump, players took their first loss in six games Monday in stride — saying they're just looking forward to the next spate of wins.

"Now is our chance to make a run, to make a push to where we want to be at the rest of the season. The coaches have put us in that position, and the new players that have come in have done a good job managing our system," small forward Jared Jeffries said. "Now we have a good chance to make a run."

Having won 13 of their last 18



Antawn Jamison says this year's team is better than last season's Wizards.

HAYES OUT AGAIN

→ **Jarvis Hayes** had surgery on his fractured right kneecap Tuesday and could miss the rest of the season. The Wizards' forward hasn't played since aggravating the knee against the Los Angeles Lakers on Dec. 16. He will be re-evaluated in six to eight weeks with no timetable set for his return.

games, runs have been something that has come easily to the Wizards so far.

But the same goes for the Mavericks, who the Wizards face on the road tonight and who have won 14 of their last 15 games.

While the Wizards look to capitalize on a few favorable matchups, they'll also have to re-focus to turn

around their road woes — an 8-15 record — this season.

"We have to find the energy we play with at the MCI Center," shooting guard Caron Butler said. "It's going to be a hostile environment, but somehow we have to pull together to make it happen."

If the Wizards can come through with a win, they'll enter the All-Star break with two more losses than when the team entered the All-Star break last year. Not that much of a fall-off, considering the dismal month of the December that the team suffered through.

"We have expectations that are more than what we accomplished last year," power forward Antawn Jamison said. "This is not the same team that we had last year. This is a different team, but it is a better team." CHRIS MINCHER (EXPRESS)

Hughes Likely To Miss the Rest Of The Season

NBA | Cavaliers guard Larry Hughes is likely to miss the rest of the regular season after having surgery on Tuesday for the second time in six



Hughes

weeks on his broken right middle finger.

Hughes, the team's second-leading scorer after leaving the Wizards in the offseason,

was supposed to miss six to eight weeks after having surgery Jan. 6. However, doctors concluded last week that the finger hadn't healed as quickly as the team had hoped.

The team said he will now miss an additional eight to 10 weeks. (AP)

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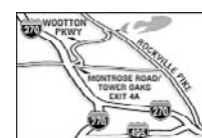
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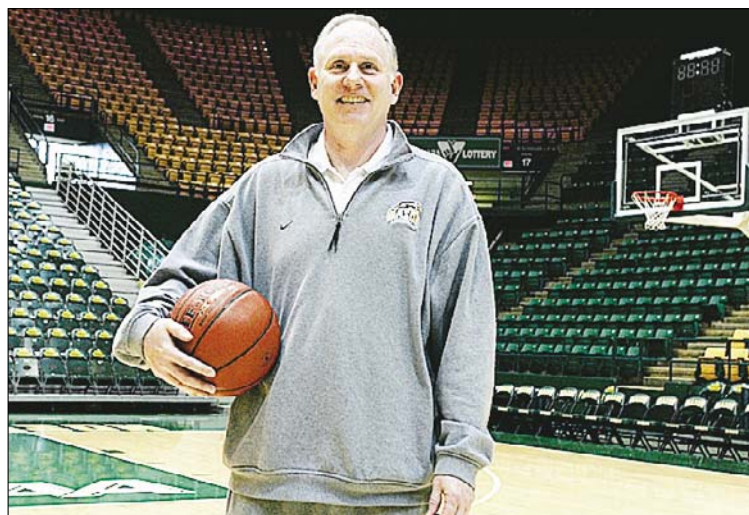
ROCKETEERS? Roger Clemens was among 30 players picked Tuesday for the U.S. roster for next month's inaugural World Baseball Classic even though the 43-year-old right-hander still hasn't decided whether he will pitch in the major leagues this season.

Mason Makes Its Case for Tourney

Patriots hope to dance even if they don't win the CAA championship

COLLEGE HOOPS | George Mason coach Jim Larranaga begins every practice by giving his players a "thought of the day" and always starts his weekly local newspaper column with a quote. The sayings are usually profound and time-tested — the words of Aristotle were spoken at a recent workout.

In early January, Larranaga took a rare comedic left turn and quoted Rodney Dangerfield. "I get no respect," the coach said. "And that was talking about our league."



George Mason men's basketball head coach Jim Larranaga leads the Patriots against Drexel in Fairfax Wednesday before traveling to Wichita St. on Saturday.

The well-read coach aside, the focus at George Mason these days is less on words and more on numbers — and whether those numbers will translate into respect when the NCAA is offering at-large tournament bids next month. The Patriots are making a strong case for an invitation regardless of whether they win the Colonial Athletic Association tournament, even though the CAA hasn't sent two teams to the Big Dance since 1986.

According to the RPI computer rankings used by the NCAA, George Mason (19-5) was the No. 32 team in the country last week. The school received 19 votes in this week's Associated Press

poll. During an interview Tuesday in his office at the Patriot Center, Larranaga found the Web site for rankings guru Mike Greenfield, who has the Patriots ranked 17th in RPI. "I like his computer," he said.

Larranaga makes a strong case for both the CAA and Mason. The conference, he points out, has the leading shot blocker in Division I (Shawn James of Northeastern) and the No. 2 player nationally in assists (Jose Juan Barea of Northeastern). The Patriots are sixth in the nation in field goal percentage defense.

"It's not the size of the dog in the fight, it's the size of the fight in the dog," said Larranaga, quoting Mark Twain. "Just because somebody's in the ACC, that doesn't make them good. Just because someone is from the CAA ... , that doesn't make them not good." JOSEPH WHITE (AP)

Villanova Feels It Has Wright Coach

COLLEGE HOOPS | Jay Wright received one heck of a reward for knocking off the No. 1 team in the country.

One day after his fourth-ranked Wildcats beat Connecticut, Villanova on Tuesday gave Wright

a seven-year contract extension through the 2012-13 season that gives him many more chances to beat a No. 1 — and maybe even take his team to the coveted spot himself. "The timing of this is incredible,"

Wright said, smiling. "I know it looks like we really planned this well."

It was an incredible 24 hours for Wright after the Wildcats (20-2, 10-1 Big East) beat the Huskies 69-64 Monday, their first win over a top-ranked team in nearly 11 years. (AP)

TODAY'S TV LINEUP

NBA (9 P.M. ON ESPN) The Washington Wizards try to bounce back from a tough loss in Oklahoma City against the Dallas Mavericks.

COLLEGE HOOPS (7 P.M. ON ESPN) North Carolina's fabulous freshmen take on

Georgia Tech.

COLLEGE HOOPS (7:30 P.M. ON ESPN2) Syracuse hosts Cincinnati in a battle of Big East rivals.

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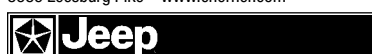


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Young Hipster Urbanite Rider

The FJ only looks like the perfect vehicle for some off-roading

ROAD TEST | The FJ Cruiser, a charming venture into what might be called the adult novelty market, sweeps along in a flirtatious cloud of retro and metro energy. It will appeal both to the knobby-tire set, off-roaders and urban guerrillas, city folk for whom off-roading invariably involves a breathalyzer and a tow truck.

For the latter, the FJ Cruiser makes a lifestyle statement — "I'm bold, I'm aggressive, I'm youthful, I'm outdoorsy, my underwear features wicking action."

The FJ targets young people with active lifestyles, 18 to 29-ish. This group, of course, is more targeted than al Qaeda in Waziristan and



City-dwelling youngfolk can't wait to get their hands on new FJ Cruisers, meaning a majority of them will never attempt to drive on anything that isn't paved over.

often just as hard to hit.

The FJ's front features a distinctive grille, a clamshell hood, and boxed-in wheel wells. From the A-pillar rearward, the yoke shape of the sill line has bold, square contours of black side cladding. The other bit of illusion has to do with the truck's set

of rear-hinged doors, or half doors. These help create the illusion of a single side door. Finally, the FJ Cruiser rides on big tires, giving it something of a heavy-equipment look.

The result is that, at some angles, the FJ Cruiser looks taffy-pulled, strangely elongated in the rear

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quarter. Even so, this is an almost irresistible design — somewhere between cute and crunk, between old school and film school. On the

road, it cannot get more attention if you erect a flaming cross on top.

One major problem with the FJ. It is equipped with Vehicle Stability Control, a computerized safety feature that selectively brakes wheels when the vehicle starts to under-steer or over-steer — that is, to plow or fishtail. VSC switches off when you shift the vehicle to 4WD mode. If you're bashing up to Big Bear on icy roads, you will likely have the vehicle in 4WD. Why would you not want spin control?

Similarly, when you put the FJ in 4WL, the anti-lock brake, traction control and VSC all switch off, leaving you with "A-Trac," which is traction control with an off-road algorithm that allows for some wheel spin. Great, but why no ABS?

The FJ Cruiser does exactly what it sets out to do — inspire drooling materialistic poseur-lust in hip, young urbanites. But if you're a serious off-roader pining for a steel coffin, keep on pining. **DAN NEIL** (LOS ANGELES TIMES)

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Entertainment



MONEY, BABY: The cast of "Swingers," Jon Favreau's 1996 indie comedy, is getting together again. Favreau, Vince Vaughn and Ron Livingston will celebrated the film's 10th anniversary at the U.S. Comedy Arts Festival in Aspen, Colorado.

The Man From Brazil

Gilberto Gil, from exile to the face of Brazilian culture

AMBASSADOR | Today's best-known Brazilian export may well be its minister of culture, songwriter/guitarist/singer Gilberto Gil. A multiple Grammy Award winner, the 63-year-old Gil has been involved in political, social and environmental causes since the launch of his recording career in the 1960s. In 1969, his music led to his arrest (along with friend Caetano Veloso) by Brazil's then-military government. Eventually, he was exiled to England.

Now, Gil is minister of culture, an appointed post he has held since 2002. He visited South Florida in January to declare the Broward Center of the Performing Arts a "Brazilian Point of Culture" — part of a global program to promote Brazilian artistry.

What are the "points of culture"? The "cultural hot spots" or "points" as we call them are part of a project called cultura viva — live culture — concerned with bringing many, many different projects to the communities in Brazil, especially the poor communities in the outskirts.



TROPICALISMO: Gil's politically charged music landed him in hot water; now, the government has co-opted one of its critics.

When you became minister, you said you wanted cultural houses in every Brazilian community. Is this an extension of that plan?

Yes. The cultural points are a slight variation of the cultural houses. We prefer to go to cultural points because they build on experiences already in place.

Can you give some examples?

Like music and performing theater. We are signing an agreement

with 120 different American institutions — theaters, cultural centers and galleries — and with one of the Brazilian airlines. In one or two months we'll have our first performance.

Do you use your stature as an artist to convince your government of the importance of arts and culture?

This is a convincing process. It's not just by being there.... It's a pedagogical work that we have to do, arguing

and challenging and also inspiring. Being an artist, as I am, fulfills the inspiring part of the process.

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Steve Martin's Inspector Clouseau went from dirty old man to harmless oaf.

A Paler Shade of 'Pink'

'The Pink Panther' got a bleach job to boost the box office

MARKETING | When Sony Pictures bought Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer last year, one of the films it inherited was a remake of "The Pink Panther."

The movie, starring Steve Martin as bumbling detective Jacques Clouseau, was shot, edited and in the can. But Martin's character, who was a bumbling innocent in the 1964

film and its four sequels, came off more like a dirty old man.

In one scene, Inspector Clouseau steals Viagra, which then visibly took effect. In another, a woman kneels in front of Clouseau to measure him for new clothes. "You have quite a long in-seam," she said.

When the film opened, however, those bits were no longer there. That's because at the behest of Sony movie chief Amy Pascal, the studio spent about \$5 million to re-shoot and re-edit a number of scenes in the

hopes of winning a PG rating.

The revisions Pascal suggested, as well as a savvy marketing campaign, are being credited with helping turn "Panther" from a potential stinker into the weekend's box-office leader. It took in an estimated \$21.7 million. "We're thrilled," said Jeff Blake, Sony's chairman of worldwide marketing and distribution. "We were hoping for the widest possible audience, and the PG really gave us an advantage."

CLAUDIA ELLER (LOS ANGELES TIMES)

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Entertainment



DUNKLEMAN REDUX: The erstwhile “AI” host, right,” with Seacrest and Ryan Starr.

The Long Arm of ‘AI’

Brian Dunkleman hosts his own version of ‘American Idol’

SECOND BANANA | To borrow from Kelly Clarkson, some people have been waiting a lifetime for a moment like this, that is, the reunion of Brian Dunkleman and “American Idol.”

Before you get ready to say “Seacrest out,” Dunkleman, who co-hosted “Idol” with Ryan Seacrest in season one, won’t actually be returning to Fox’s megahit. Instead he’ll be hosting a free online fantasy game called Idol Go Home, which launches Wednesday at www.idolgohome.com, and have his own blog, where, he said, “I’ll be offering my own insider’s backstage

view” on everything “Idol.” Visitors to the site can blog their own “Idol” thoughts as well as try to pick who’ll get voted off each week for a shot at prizes.

Dunkleman, who said he’s been TiVo-ing this season’s “Idol,” admits he had a compelling reason for taking the job. “I was asked, and they said, ‘Hey, we’ll pay you to do it.’”

It also helps that Dunkleman has no beefs with “Idol,” saying it was his choice to leave the show after the first season to pursue an acting career and to do stand-up. He also has no gripes with Simon Cowell, whom he said is “one of the most charming, intelligent people you’ll ever meet. Just ask him, and he’ll tell you.” DANIEL BUBBEO (NEWSDAY)

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Dan Hicks: Everyman

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FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 1:30, 3:00, 4:05, 5:30, 6:30, 8:00, 9:00, 10:30
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 1:45, 3:15, 4:15, 5:45, 6:45, 8:15, 9:15, 10:35
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 3:15, 5:45, 8:15, 10:35
MRS. HENDERSON PRESENTS (R) 2:25, 5:20, 7:55, 10:25
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 2:00, 4:30, 7:10, 9:45
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 1:00, 2:45, 3:30, 5:00, 5:55, 7:20, 8:20, 9:50
ANNAPOLIS (PG13) 2:30, 5:05, 7:45, 10:20
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 2:25, 5:35, 8:05, 9:10, 10:35
IMAGINE ME & YOU (R) ✓ 2:25, 4:55, 7:35, 10:05
THE MATADOR (R) 2:10, 5:10, 7:35, 9:55
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 2:30, 5:15, 7:50, 10:20
THE NEW WORLD (PG13) 1:10
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 2:15, 4:50, 7:40, 10:15
GLORY ROAD (PG) 4:20
HOODWINKED (PG) 2:20, 4:40, 6:55
LAST HOLIDAY (PG13) 10:10 PM
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) 1:15, 4:15, 7:15, 10:25
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 7:00
GOOD NIGHT, AND GOOD LUCK (PG) 6:50
CAPOTE (R) 1:05, 4:05, 9:25

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FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) 2:15, 4:45, 8:45
FIREWALL (PG13) 1:30, 4:30, 8:00
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) 1:45, 4:00, 6:15, 8:30
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 5:00, 8:15
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 5:20, 8:45
ANNAPOLIS (PG13) 4:50, 7:45
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 5:10, 8:30
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) ✓ 5:10, 8:30
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 4:30, 7:30
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 8:00
HOODWINKED (PG) 4:40

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FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) ✓ 3:00, 5:20, 7:40, 10:00
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 2:30, 4:50, 7:20, 9:40
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 2:20, 4:45, 7:10, 9:35
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 2:40, 5:05, 7:30, 9:55
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 2:00, 4:25, 7:00, 9:25
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) ✓ 2:00, 4:25, 7:00, 9:25
MATCH POINT (R) 2:50, 5:40, 8:35
GLORY ROAD (PG) 2:10, 7:50
WALK THE LINE (PG13) 4:50

LOEWS GEORGETOWN 14
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FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) ✓ 12:00, 2:20, 4:50, 7:20, 9:50
FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 1:50, 4:20, 7:00, 9:30
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 2:10, 4:30, 7:10, 9:35
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 2:00, 4:35, 7:05, 9:25
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 1:10, 3:30, 10:20
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ANNAPOLIS (PG13) 2:20, 5:00, 7:35
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 12:40, 3:10, 5:40, 8:10, 10:50
THE MATADOR (R) 12:20, 2:40, 5:10, 7:50, 10:30
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 12:10, 2:50, 5:30, 8:05, 10:35
MATCH POINT (R) 1:20, 4:15, 7:15, 10:10
THE NEW WORLD (PG13) 4:05, 10:45
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 10:00 PM
MUNICH (R) 12:30, 3:55, 7:25, 10:55
MEMOIRS OF A GEISHA (PG13) 1:00, 4:10, 7:30, 10:55
SYRIANA (R) 12:50, 7:45
WALK THE LINE (PG13) 1:40, 4:40, 7:40, 10:40

LOEWS WISCONSIN AVE. 6
4000 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W.
202-244-0882 714

CURIOUS GEORGE (G) ✓ 2:00, 4:20, 6:40
FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 1:50, 4:15, 6:50
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) ✓ 2:10, 4:30, 7:00
MUNICH (R) 1:30, 4:45, 8:10
MUNICH (R) ✓ 1:30, 4:45, 8:10
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) 2:40, 6:20
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 1:40, 5:00, 8:00

LOEWS WHITE FLINT 5
North Bethesda
310-423-1014 741

FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 2:15, 4:35, 7:10, 9:35
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 2:30, 4:45, 7:15, 9:30
MRS. HENDERSON PRESENTS (R) 2:00, 4:15, 7:00, 9:45
MUNICH (R) 6:05
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) 2:45, 6:15, 9:10
WALK THE LINE (PG13) 3:00, 9:25

AMC POTOMAC MILLS 18
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CURIOUS GEORGE (G) ✓ 1:20, 3:15, 5:20, 7:20, 9:20
FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) ✓ 2:10, 5:30, 7:45, 9:55
FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 2:05, 4:50, 7:15, 9:35
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 1:40, 5:05, 7:35, 9:45
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 1:45, 5:15, 7:30, 9:50
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 1:35, 3:00, 4:10, 5:40, 7:05, 8:15, 9:15
ANNAPOLIS (PG13) 2:30, 5:35, 7:50, 10:00
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 1:30, 2:45, 4:00, 5:25, 7:00, 8:00, 9:30
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) ✓ 2:45, 5:25, 8:00
IMAGINE ME & YOU (R) ✓ 2:00, 5:10, 7:25, 9:35
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 2:15, 4:40, 7:00, 9:15
THE NEW WORLD (PG13) 9:05 PM
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 2:20, 5:15, 7:40, 9:55
GLORY ROAD (PG) 1:50, 4:30, 7:10, 9:40
HOODWINKED (PG) 1:55, 5:00, 7:05
LAST HOLIDAY (PG13) 2:25, 5:10, 7:40, 9:55
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) 1:25, 4:20, 7:10, 10:00
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 1:15, 5:00, 7:55

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CURIOUS GEORGE (G) 4:20, 7:10
FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) 4:50, 8:10
FIREWALL (PG13) 4:40, 7:20
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) 4:30, 7:20
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 4:10, 7:50
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 4:00, 8:00
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 4:20, 5:20, 7:00, 8:20
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 5:00, 7:40
HOODWINKED (PG) 4:40, 8:00
LAST HOLIDAY (PG13) 4:50, 7:30
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) 4:00, 7:40

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CURIOUS GEORGE (G) ✓ 1:00, 3:15, 5:30, 7:30
FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) ✓ 2:00, 4:15, 8:00
FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 1:30, 5:00, 7:50
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 1:45, 4:00, 7:55
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 2:30, 4:45, 8:10
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 3:00, 5:25, 8:15
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) ✓ 3:00, 5:25, 8:15
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 1:10, 4:05, 7:40
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 2:10, 4:30, 8:05
HOODWINKED (PG) 1:05, 3:20, 5:35, 7:35

AMC COUNTRY CLUB MALL 6
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CURIOUS GEORGE (G) ✓ 5:30, 7:45
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 5:00, 8:00
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) ✓ 5:30, 8:00
ANNAPOLIS (PG13) 5:15, 8:00
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 5:15, 7:45
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 5:00, 7:45

MAGIC JOHNSON CAPITAL CENTRE 12
800 Shopper's Way, Largo
301-324-4220 844

CURIOUS GEORGE (G) 1:15, 3:30, 5:45, 8:15, 10:45
FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) 2:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 7:00, 8:00, 9:30, 10:30
FIREWALL (PG13) 2:20, 4:50, 7:20, 9:50
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) 2:10, 4:40, 7:10, 9:40
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 2:25, 4:55, 7:25, 9:55
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 1:00, 2:35, 3:35, 5:10, 6:10, 7:35, 8:30, 10:10, 10:50
ANNAPOLIS (PG13) 1:40, 4:10
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 1:30, 2:30, 4:00, 5:00, 6:30, 7:30, 9:05, 10:00
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 8:40, 11:00
HOODWINKED (PG) 1:50, 4:20, 6:50
LAST HOLIDAY (PG13) 6:40, 9:10

LOEWS SHIRLINGTON 7
2772 South Randolph
703-671-0910 801

MRS. HENDERSON PRESENTS (R) 2:00, 5:00, 7:20, 9:30
THE THREE BURIALS OF MELQUIADES ESTRADA (R) 1:10, 3:40, 6:20, 9:10
MATCH POINT (R) 1:30, 4:30, 7:10, 9:50
CACHE (R) 4:20, 6:50, 9:20
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) 1:00, 4:10, 6:50, 9:40
SYRIANA (R) 1:20
GOOD NIGHT, AND GOOD LUCK (PG) 1:50, 4:40, 6:30, 9:00
CAPOTE (R) 1:40, 4:50, 7:20, 10:00

LOEWS DUPONT 5
1350 19th St.
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MRS. HENDERSON PRESENTS (R) 5:50, 8:30
IMAGINE ME & YOU (R) 5:30, 8:20
WHY WE FIGHT (PG13) 5:10, 8:10
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) 4:30, 7:30
CAPOTE (R) 4:50, 7:50

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CURIOUS GEORGE (G) ✓ 12:00, 2:15, 4:35, 7:00, 9:15
FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) ✓ 12:25, 2:45, 5:10, 7:40, 10:05
FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 12:35, 3:05, 5:35, 8:05, 10:25
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 12:00, 1:25, 2:25, 3:40, 4:55, 5:55, 7:20, 8:15, 9:35, 10:30
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 12:55, 3:25, 5:50, 8:10, 10:30
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 12:40, 3:10, 5:20, 7:35, 10:00
ANNAPOLIS (PG13) 12:15, 3:00, 5:30, 8:00, 10:25
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 12:30, 2:55, 5:25, 7:55, 10:20
THE MATADOR (R) 12:05, 2:35, 5:00, 7:25, 9:55
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 12:10, 2:40, 5:15, 7:45, 10:10
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) ✓ 12:10, 2:40, 5:15, 7:45, 10:10
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 12:45, 3:20, 5:45, 8:10, 10:35
GLORY ROAD (PG) 4:15, 10:10
HOODWINKED (PG) 12:20, 2:30, 4:50, 7:10
LAST HOLIDAY (PG13) 4:30, 7:10
FUN WITH DICK & JANE (PG13) 9:20 PM
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) 1:00, 4:05, 7:15, 10:15
KING KONG (PG13) 12:30 PM, 9:50 PM
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 1:05, 7:05

AMC COLUMBIA MALL 14
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CURIOUS GEORGE (G) ✓ 12:15, 2:30, 5:15, 7:45, 10:15
FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) ✓ 12:00, 2:15, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30
FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 12:30, 4:45, 7:30, 10:10
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 12:15, 2:40, 5:00, 8:00, 10:25
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 2:00, 4:40, 7:15, 9:45
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 1:55, 4:15, 7:15, 9:40
ANNAPOLIS (PG13) 2:00, 4:55, 7:40, 10:20
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 12:30, 4:20, 7:05, 9:35
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 12:00, 2:45, 5:30, 8:05, 10:25
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) ✓ 12:00, 2:45, 5:30, 8:05, 10:25
MATCH POINT (R) 1:00, 4:10, 7:35, 10:30
THE NEW WORLD (PG13) 1:15
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 9:50 PM
GLORY ROAD (PG) 10:20 PM
HOODWINKED (PG) 2:20, 4:50, 7:35
LAST HOLIDAY (PG13) 4:25, 7:25, 10:05
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) 1:10, 4:05, 7:20, 10:30
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 1:05, 4:05, 7:10

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FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 3:10, 5:50, 8:20
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 2:50, 5:10, 8:00
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 2:20, 4:50, 7:50
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 2:40, 5:00, 7:40
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 8:30
MUNICH (R) 2:00, 5:20, 8:40
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 2:30, 5:40
GOOD NIGHT, AND GOOD LUCK (PG) 2:10, 5:30, 8:10

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CURIOUS GEORGE (G) ✓ 4:30, 7:00
FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) ✓ 4:30, 8:10
FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 5:40, 8:00
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 4:50, 7:40
SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 5:20, 7:50
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 5:10, 7:20
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 5:00, 7:30
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 4:40, 7:10

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CURIOUS GEORGE (G) ✓ 3:30, 5:45, 7:55, 10:00
FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) ✓ 3:40, 8:00, 10:10
FIREWALL (PG13) ✓ 3:50, 7:40, 10:20
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) ✓ 3:00, 5:10, 7:20, 9:30
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SOMETHING NEW (PG13) 4:15, 7:15, 9:40
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG13) 4:45, 7:35, 10:15
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG13) 4:30, 7:30, 9:50
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) 4:10, 7:00, 9:20
UNDERWORLD: EVOLUTION (R) 5:00, 7:45, 10:10
HOODWINKED (PG) 4:35, 7:10, 9:10
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) 4:00, 7:00, 9:45

LOEWS FAIRFAX SQUARE 8
8085 Leesburg Pike
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MRS. HENDERSON PRESENTS (R) 2:30, 5:10, 8:00, 10:15
IMAGINE ME & YOU (R) 2:00, 4:10, 7:50, 10:05
MATCH POINT (R) 1:50, 4:40, 7:40, 10:30
THE NEW WORLD (PG13) 4:40, 10:05
TRANSAMERICA (R) 2:20, 4:50, 7:10, 9:30
MUNICH (R) 3:45, 7:10
MEMOIRS OF A GEISHA (PG13) 1:30, 5:00, 8:10
WALK THE LINE (PG13) 1:40, 4:30, 7:30, 10:15
GOOD NIGHT, AND GOOD LUCK (PG) 1:20, 10:30
CAPOTE (R) 2:10, 7:30

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GOOD NIGHT, AND GOOD LUCK (PG) 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30

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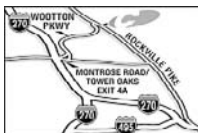
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FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1150 210 310 430 530) 720 800 940 1030
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) DIG (1230 255 520) 745 1005
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG-13) DIG (1235 250 525) 750 1010
A GOOD WOMAN (PG) DIG (1220 240 515) 740 1015
SOMETHING NEW (PG-13) DIG (1200 225 455) 725 950
ANNAPOLIS (PG-13) DIG 945
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) DIG (1155 215 440) 705 930
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG-13) DIG (1210 245 510) 735 955
UNDERWORLD EVOLUTION (R) - ID REQ'D DIG 1035
THE NEW WORLD (PG-13) DIG (1205) 1015
MUNICH (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1215 340) 710
THE BURIAL OF MELQUIADES ESTRADA (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (115 445) 740 1025
SYRIANA (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (100 355) 655
OC: FIREWALL (PG-13) DIG (1250) 640

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CURIOUS GEORGE (G) DIG (1235 255 515) 725 935
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG-13) DIG (1230 250 510) 735 955
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) DIG (1220 325) 730 945
THE NEW WORLD (PG-13) DIG (1210 305) 655 1025
GLORY ROAD (PG) DIG (1225 335) 715 1030
MATCH POINT (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1200 245) 650 955
MRS. HENDERSON PRESENTS (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (115 420) 720 1010
HOODWINKED (PG) DIG (1215 320) 700
MATADOR (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (200 445) 740 1005
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1155 400) 710 1015
SYRIANA (R) - ID REQ'D DIG 950
WALK THE LINE (PG-13) DIG (1205 345) 705 1000
CAPOTE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (120 410) 745 1020

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FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (115 210 400 455) 655 800 930 1030
CURIOUS GEORGE (G) DIG (140 430) 725 1000
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) DIG (145 435) 735 1005
FIREWALL (PG-13) DIG (130 420) 730 1010
SOMETHING NEW (PG-13) DIG (105 205 345 445) 650 750 925 1025
WHEN A STRANGER CALLS (PG-13) DIG (120 215 405 500) 650 745 920 1015
BIG MOMMA'S HOUSE 2 (PG-13) DIG (100 350 440) 705 940 1035
NANNY MCPHEE (PG) DIG (150 425) 710 950
UNDERWORLD EVOLUTION (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (110 355) 700 945
LAST HOLIDAY (PG-13) DIG (135 415) 715
HOODWINKED (PG) DIG (125) 720
CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) DIG

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FIREWALL (PG-13) DIG (130 420) 730 1010
FINAL DESTINATION 3 (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (135 415) 740 1000
THE PINK PANTHER (PG) DIG (120 355) 720 945
CURIOUS GEORGE (G) DIG (110 405) 700 935
IMAGINE ME & YOU (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (140 410) 655 955
ANNAPOLIS (PG-13) DIG 940
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HARDCORE, MAN: Noted rebel Eminem gets his own concert special on MTV2. Showtime Networks' "Eminem Live From New York City" will air this Saturday and will feature the rapper on his "Anger Management" tour.



A Royal Welcome

**Don't bother bringing
a bottle of wine to
PBS' 'Windsor Castle'**

NOBLES CAUSE | Are you a stickler for details? Do you find yourself second-guessing Martha Stewart on a regular basis? Then “Windsor Castle: A Royal Year” (8 p.m., PBS) is for you.

This unabashed puff piece for the British Royal family offers viewers unprecedented access to the Windsors' regal pile — a 1,000-year old castle maintained by a staff with hundreds of years of collective experience.



COUNT THE SPOONS: The royal family thinks it was veddy nice of you to drop by.

The first installment, “The Banquet,” offers a behind-the-scenes look at the preparation for

a state dinner honoring the centennial of L'Entente Cordiale, the 1905 peace treaty between Britain and France.

Watch as royal chefs argue over the appropriate menu, and footmen of all stripes fuss over details. There's even a guy who sets the table using a ruler to ensure that the dinner and dessert plates are just so far apart.

An element of chaos arrives when the cast of the musical “Les Miserables” arrives to entertain assembled guests, but a stiff upper lip is maintained by all.

Next week: a look at the seasonal changes at Windsor Castle, followed by "The Ranger," Prince Phillip's role in maintaining the castle's 15,000-acre grounds. KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

ON TV TONIGHT

OPAKIS ON THE LOOSE

LITTLE ZOO THAT COULD (9 p.m., Animal Planet) With Hurricane Ivan bearing down, the director of Alabama's Gulf Coast Zoo made a remarkable, unprecedented decision to evacuate 270 exotic animals.

MUST THEY CALL IT THAT?

An alternative for the Olympic-phobic, **FAT CAMP** (9 p.m., MTV) follows five campers as they embark for a weight-loss camp in the Poconos.

SING, YOU SINNERS

AMERICAN IDOL (8 p.m., Fox). Talents blossom or wither in the Hollywood hothouse.

BOY, DO THEY EVER

Perky Doris Day and cad Rock Hudson get their wires crossed in the 1959 comedy **PILLOW TALK** (8 p.m., TCM).



The Blitz reduced much of London to rubble, but British stoicism prevailed.

THE BOMBING THAT BOMBED

THE BLITZ: LONDON'S LONGEST NIGHT (10 p.m., PBS) recalls a 1940 bombing raid by the Nazi air force that was intended to demoralize the British but only increased their resolve. KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

2:15.06		6:00 PM		6:30		7:00		7:30		8:00		8:30		9:00		9:30		10:00		10:30		11:00		11:30		
LOCAL CHANNELS	WRC	4	News			NBC Nightly News	Olympic Zone			XX Olympic Winter Games (iTV) (Same-day Tape)														News		
	WTTG	5	Seinfeld		The Simpsons	The Simpsons	Seinfeld			American Idol "Week 5B: Green Mile"					Bones "The Woman in the Garden"				News					Geraldo at Large	Friends	
	WJLA	7	News		ABC Wld News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!			George Lopez (N)			Freddie (N)		Lost "One of Them" (N)				(.03) Invasion "The Nest" (N)				News	(.35) Nightline		
	WUSA	9	News		CBS News	9News Tonight	Ent. Tonight			Still Standing (N)			Yes, Dear (N)		Criminal Minds "Derailed" (N)				CSI: NY "YoungBlood" (N)				News	Late Show		
	WDCA	20	That '70s Show		That '70s Show	Friends	Every-Raymond			South Beach "The S.B." (N)					Veronica Mars "Versatile Toppings"				The Tyra Banks Show (N)				Girlfriends	Girlfriends		
	WMPT	22	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Business Rpt.	Artworks-Week				Windsor Castle: A Royal Year (N)					In Search of Ancient Ireland				The Blitz: London's Longest Night (N)					Crossings		
	WETA	26	BBC World News		Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)				Windsor Castle: A Royal Year (N)					Prince William the Reluctant Royal				The Blitz: London's Longest Night (N)					Charlie Rose (N)		
	WHUT	32	Business Schl		Tavis Smiley	BBC World News	Moneywise				P.O.V. "The Flute Player" (N)				Wildier: An American First (N)				BBC World News			Tavis Smiley	Charlie Rose (N)			
WBDC	50	Steve Harvey		The Parkers	My Wife and Kids	Bernie Mac				One Tree Hill (N)					Beauty and the Geek				Bernie Mac			My Wife and Kids	Sex and the City	Will & Grace		
BASIC CABLE	A&E		American Justice			Cold Case Files				Bounty Hunter	Bounty Hunter			Inked	Inked				Criss Angel	Criss Angel				Crossing Jordan "Justice Delayed"		
	Animal		The Crocodile Hunter Diaries			The Most Extreme "Super Senses"				Horse Power: Road to the Maclay (N)				Little Zoo That Could				Animal Cops Detroit						Horse Power: Road to the Maclay		
	BET		106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Live			Access Granted				The Parkers	The Parkers			The Corner								In Living Color	In Living Color	In Living Color		
	Bravo		Project Runway "On Thin Ice"			Project Runway "Inspiration"				Project Runway "Flower Power"				Project Runway "Makeover"				Project Runway "What's Your Line"					Project Runway "What's Your Line"			
	Comedy		(5:00) *** "Married to the Mob"			Com.-Presents	Reno 911!			Daily Show	Colbert Report			Chappelle's Show	South Park			South Park	Drawn Together				Daily Show	Colbert Report		
	Court		Forensic Files		Forensic Files	Cops	Cops			Texas SWAT	Texas SWAT			Forensic Files	Forensic Files			Psychic Detect	Psychic Detect				Las Vegas Law	Parco P.I.		
	Discovery		Cash Cab		Cash Cab	Mega-Excavators: Reshape the World				The Blasters (N)				MythBusters "Barrel of Bricks"				MythBusters "Bullet Proof Water"						Dirty Jobs "Chick Sexer"		
	DISCH		Paramedics "Air Care"			Trauma: Life in the ER				Plastic Surgery Beverly Hills				Plastic Surgery: Before and After				Rebuilt: The Human Body Shop						Plastic Surgery Beverly Hills		
	Disney		Sister, Sister		Zack & Cody	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven			*** "Double Teamed" (2002, Drama) Annie McElwain, Poppi Monroe.				Life With Derek	Sister, Sister				Sister, Sister				Zack & Cody	That's So Raven		
	E!		10 Ways		10 Ways	E! News (N)	E! News			Dr. 90210 Private help.				Dr. 90210				10 Ways	Number 1 Single					Saturday Night Live		
	FX		King of the Hill		King of the Hill	That '70s Show	That '70s Show			★ "The Master of Disguise" (2002, Comedy) Dana Carvey. Premiere.				That '70s Show	That '70s Show				That '70s Show				★ "The Master of Disguise" (2002)			
	HGTV		Renovation		Wknd Warriors	Curb Appeal	House Hunters			Kitchen Trends	I Want That!			Buy Me (N)	Cash in the Attic				House Hunters	What You Get					Dream House	FreeStyle
	Family		7th Heaven "Who Do You Trust?"			Smallville "Memoria"				★ "View From the Top" (2003) Gwyneth Paltrow, Christina Applegate.				Whose Line?	Whose Line?				Whose Line?					The 700 Club		
	History		True Crime Manson murders.			Modern Marvels: Sears Tower				Modern Marvels: Cannons				Modern Marvels: B-2 Bomber				Modern Marvels: Extreme Aircraft						The Big Build "The Fort"		
	Lifetime		The Golden Girls		The Golden Girls	★ ★ "I Do (But I Don't)" (2004) Denise Richards, Dean Cain.				"Cake" (2005, Romance-Comedy) Heather Graham, David Sutcliffe.				SI Swimsuit Special				SI Swimsuit Special						Will & Grace	Will & Grace	
	MTV		Parental Control		Room Raiders (N)	Madonna Video	R. Wld Chai.			Made "Lose Weight" Lose weight.				Fat Camp Healthy lifestyle. (N)				Wild & Out						Wild & Out		
	NICK		All Grown Up		Danny Phantom	Fairly Oddparents	Jimmy Neutron			SpongeBob	Unfabulous			Full House	Fresh Prince			Roseanne	Roseanne				Roseanne		The Cosby Show	
SCI FI		Stargate SG-1 "Fragile Balance"			Ghost Hunters				Ghost Hunters				Ghost Hunters				Ghost Hunters						★ ★ "Lost Voyage" (2001)			
SPIKE		World's Wildest Police Videos			CSI: Crime Scene Investigation				CSI: Crime Scene Investigation				Spike's Most Irresistible Women				SI Swimsuit Special						CSI: Crime Scene Investigation			
TBS		Seinfeld		Seinfeld	Every-Raymond	Every-Raymond			Every-Raymond	Every-Raymond			Every-Raymond	Every-Raymond			Sex and the City	Sex and the City					(.10) ★ ★ "Along Came a Spider"			
TLC		Martha John O'Hurley (N)			Against the Law "Murder in Spokane"				The New Detectives				Psychic Witness Double murder.				Mostly True Stories: Urban Legends						The New Detectives			
TNT		Charmed "It's a Bad, Bad World"			Law & Order "Floater" (DVS)				Law & Order "Darwinian"				Law & Order (DVS)				Law & Order (DVS)						Law & Order "Family Business"			
USA		Olympic Ice (N)			Law & Order: Special Victims Unit				Law & Order: Criminal Intent				Law & Order: Criminal Intent				Law & Order: Criminal Intent						Law & Order: Criminal Intent			
VHI		★ ★ ★ "The Wedding Singer" (1998) Adam Sandler, Drew Barrymore.							Celebrity Fit Club				Celebrity Fit Club					Celebrity Fit Club						Plastic Surgery Obsessions		
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SPORTS	ESPN		SportsCenter (Live)			College Basketball Georgia Tech at North Carolina. (Live)							NBA Basketball Washington Wizards at Dallas Mavericks. (S Live)										SportsCenter			
	ESPN2		Mike and Mike		Around the Horn	Interruption	College Basketball Cincinnati at Syracuse. (Live)						College Basketball Oklahoma at Colorado. (Live)										Quite Frankly			
	CSN		Knockouts		SportsNite	College Basketball Georgia State at Old Dominion. (Live)							NBA Basketball Washington Wizards at Dallas Mavericks. (Subject to Blackout) (Live)										SportsNite			
NEWS	CNN		Lou Dobbs Tonight			The Situation Room				Paula Zahn Now			Larry King Live				Anderson Cooper 360									
	FNC		Special Report (Live)			The Fox Report With Shepard Smith				The O'Reilly Factor (Live)			Hannity & Colmes (Live)				On the Record-Van Susteren						The O'Reilly Factor			
	MSNBC		The Abrams Report			Hardball				Countdown With Keith Olbermann			Rita Cosby Live & Direct				Scarborough Country							The Situation With Tucker Carlson		
MOVIES	AMC		(5:15) ★ ★ ★ "The Spy Who Loved Me" (1977, Action) Roger Moore. 'PG'							★ ★ ★ "Octopussy" (1983, Action) Roger Moore, Maud Adams, Louis Jourdan. 'PG'							(.45) ★ ★ ★ "Moonraker" (1979) Roger Moore. 'PG'									
	TCM		★ ★ ★ ★ "An American in Paris" (1951, Musical) Gene Kelly. 'NR' (DVS)							★ ★ ★ "Pillow Talk" (1959, Romance-Comedy) Rock Hudson. 'NR'							★ ★ "That Touch of Mink" (1962, Comedy) Cary Grant, Doris Day. 'NR'									
	HBO		(.15) ★ "Envy" (2004, Comedy) Ben Stiller, Jack Black. 'PG-13'							★ ★ "Resident Evil: Apocalypse" (2004) Milla Jovovich.				16 Blocks-Look			Dennis Miller: All In						The Sopranos "The Test Dream"			
	MAX		(.45) ★ ★ "Heartbreak Ridge" 'R'			★ ★ "Held Up" (2000) Jamie Foxx. 'PG-13'				★ ★ "Paparazzi" (2004) Cole Hauser. 'PG-13'							★ ★ "Meet the Fockers" (2004, Comedy) Robert De Niro. 'PG-13'									
	SHOW		(.15) ★ ★ "The United States of Leland" (2003) Don Cheadle. 'R'							★ ★ ★ "Hotel Rwanda" (2004, Drama) Don Cheadle. iTV. 'PG-13'							The L Word "Lifesize" (iTV) 'R'						★ ★ ★ "Fahrenheit 9/11" (2004) 'R'			
	TMC		(.40) Real Genius			★ ★ ★ "Sketch Artist" (1992, Suspense) Jeff Fahey. 'R'				★ ★ "Manic" (2001) Joseph Gordon-Levitt. 'R'				(.45) ★ "Twisted" (2004, Suspense) Ashley Judd, Andy Garcia. 'R'									(.25) Mean Girls			
	STARZ!		(5:30) ★ ★ ★ "Intermission" (2003) Colin Farrell. 'R'			(.20) ★ ★ "Cellular" (2004) Kim Basinger. 'PG-13'				★ ★ "Ladder 49" (2004, Drama) Joaquin Phoenix. 'PG-13'							(.05) ★ ★ "Cursed" (2005) 'PG-13'									
ENCORE		★ It Takes Two		(.45) Bullets Over Hollywood Gangster movies.					★ ★ "American History X" (1998, Drama) Edward Norton. 'R'							★ ★ "Blood Simple" (1984) John Getz. 'R'							Weeknd-Ber. 2			

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Health

Grocers and big-box stores adding walk-in medical practitioners

Fearing bad news as her son suffered with a cough, aches and a sore throat, Donna Bultez found help in the most common of places — her neighborhood grocery store in Omaha, Neb.

Just feet from the beeping cash registers, a few steps behind the frosted-glass door, Bultez was relieved to find that her son Trevor Belmont wasn't suffering from strep throat. That she saved money by avoiding a trip to the emergency room was good news, too.

More and more stores — from small-scale chains like Bultez' Hy-Vee to megamarkets like Wal-Mart and Target — have started trial runs with in-store medical clinics.

The concept is so new that analysts weren't sure how many clinics currently exist. They said

retailers appear to be trying clinics as a way to increase foot traffic in their stores, rather than rely on the clinics as an entirely new revenue stream.

The ventures are promising enough that America Online founder Steve Case put \$500 million into a company that buys stakes in companies that set up the clinics.

Except for a 20-minute wait, Trevor's visit to the Hy-Vee clinic seemed convenient at every turn. His pediatrician was out of his office this day and, without the walk-in

service, Bultez might have considered an expensive trip to an emergency room to seek treatment.

"This cost and convenience trend is coming to a head and that's what is driving this trend. My prediction is that it will move quite rapidly," said Matt Eyring, managing director of

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QUICK CHECK-UP: Clinics in Hy-Vee stores have limits, but are useful in a pinch.

Chairman Franklin Raines.

Health care analyst Kathleen O'Connor said it's difficult to say how many in-store clinics exist because the trend is so new. These clinics are different from the stand-alone sites sometimes referred to as a "doc in a box."

The in-store clinics hope to evoke the idea of convenience with their very names — Quick Care at Hy-Vee; RediClinic, one of four providers for Wal-Mart; and MinuteClinic, which has 70 clinics in CVS pharmacies, Target Stores and Cub Foods supermarkets.

Patients never need an appointment and can drop by after regular business hours. Many times, a patient might be heading to the store anyway for groceries and find it convenient to ask about that nagging cough or persistent headache.

Bultez knew her visit with Trevor was all about convenience.

"I will stay with my doctor. But if this works out good, I'd use it for a second alternative," said Bultez.

There are limits on what the clinics can do.

"People could get the impression that these things could be a usual source of care, which they can't be," said Dr. Larry S. Fields, the president of the American Academy of Family Practitioners. (AP)

Clinic of Time

Innosight, a consulting firm.

The business model is simple — a medical clinic operated by an outside company, and generally staffed by nurses or physician assistants, offers a limited range of basic tests and treatments at a lower cost than a doctor's office.

Case invested heavily in Revolution Health Group, a company that, among other things, is buying stakes in clinic operators. Its backers and board include former Secretary of State Colin Powell, former Hewlett-Packard CEO Carly Fiorina and former Fannie Mae

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The Missing Synch

Technology

New services aim to join together devices with their digital files

The bits that make up our digital lives are increasingly spread over a growing number of gadgets, such as cell phones that snap pictures, handheld computers that play music and a growing number of PCs that do all the above and more.

But amid all this connectedness, something has been left out: a seamless way for all the gadgets and all the computers to stay current with all the information captured, created and edited on other devices.

"Big companies have talked about doing this a long time, but we haven't seen anyone deliver it yet," said Gibu

"It's one thing to have access to my content, but it needs to be tied with valuable applications as well."

TIM BAJARIN
ANALYST, ON SHARPCAST'S
SYNCHING SERVICE

Thomas, co-founder and chief executive of Sharpcast.

His startup is hoping to do just that. For more than two years, it has been quietly working to come up with a way to enable behind-the-scenes synchronization across programs and devices.

Sharpcast's service acts as a go-between among devices. If a file is created on a desktop PC, it's seam-



Sharpcast co-founders Ben Strong, left, and Gibu Thomas aim to link up devices.

lessly saved to a remote server, which other devices then access. Changes made to the file by any other device also are instantly synchronized with

the others as soon as they've connected to the network. The file also can be accessed over the Web and tagged for private use or public sharing.

"Depending on what it is you're moving and how much of it you can move, it could really be the next killer app," said analyst Rob Enderle of the Enderle Group. "It could relate to everything — from how you move movies, how you move music and how you move your pictures."

Sharpcast unveiled its photo organizer earlier this year in Phoenix. Pictures can be imported into the program and immediately show up on an Internet-linked cell phone. When a picture with a caption on the phone is tagged, it can appear instantly on the PC. A picture snapped with a camera phone can instantly appear on a PC.

"Any changes that I make are kept in synch in real time," Thomas said. "The idea is that you should be able to pick up where you left off, regardless of what device you're on."

The platform could be built into other companies' applications and support other operating systems. In fact, the service should support any type of digital document.

"They have to get a tremendous amount of support from other application vendors," said Creative Strategies analyst Tim Bajarin.

MATTHEW FORDAHL (AP)

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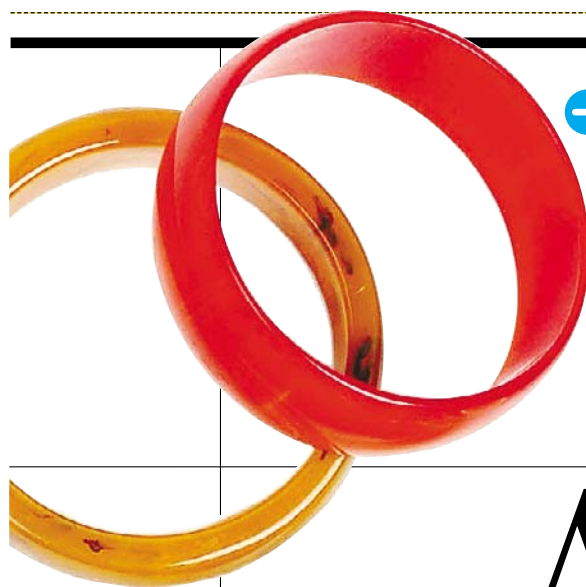
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Scent



Diddy Does It

Celebrity fragrances are just too easy to mock. That's why we love testing them! But, occasionally, one comes along that defies snark because it actually turns out to be good. Such is the case with **UNFORGIVABLE** (\$55 for 2.5 oz, department stores) from Sean John, the line owned by Sean "Diddy" Combs. Unforgivable is clean-meets-sexy, with a light woody scent and hints of sandalwood and citrus. In fact, it seems Diddy developed the perfect scent for someone looking to graduate from his teenage fascination with Drakkar Noir. KRISTEN PAGE-KIRBY (EXPRESS)

Breakfast



Not Bowled Over

Breakfast has long been a meal on the go, so it's only natural that joining the Pop-Tart pack would be ... oatmeal? Quaker's new **OATMEAL TO GO** bars (\$3.79) pack 4 grams of fat and 220 calories each and promise the heart benefits of a bowl of instant oatmeal. But even in flavors like Raspberry Streusel and Brown Sugar Cinnamon, they're too bland and gristly to be enjoyed. Heating the bars in the microwave for 10 seconds does help ease consumption. But beware: One tester found them to have a "horrible aftertaste." Maybe oatmeal is simply better in a bowl than in a bar. SALLY DADISMAN



Baggage Check

ANDREA BONIOR, PH.D.

It's Time For a 'Talk'

My boyfriend is in a band and I've gone faithfully to his shows for the eight months we've been together. I've usually enjoyed it. Lately, he's been wanting to go out with just his bandmates afterwards; he doesn't seem to care if I come, too. This would be OK once in a while, but when his shows are every weekend, I'm worried it won't be long before we have separate social lives. I admit I'm also worried about why he doesn't want me there — some of the band's female friends go out with them. How do I approach this?

—D.C. GIRLFRIEND

Approach this by approaching HIM. It's not about guitars or groupies, it's about your feeling threatened by increasing distance, lessening affection and a general "something's not right"-itis. Hear that? The sound of a thousand men groaning? Yup, it's time for a "talk." Whether this is merely a blip on the screen or a symptom of something larger can be assessed only by communicating with him. Try not to be accusatory — just tell him you miss spending those times with him and you're concerned that something's changing. His response, or lack thereof, will probably tell you more than you need to know.

I'm 21 and I met a really nice guy, who is 24, a little under a year ago. He lives four hours away, but we see each other pretty often. We pretty much do everything like a

couple, but he refuses to acknowledge that we're in a relationship. As far as he's concerned, we're just friends — good friends. Am I being stupid for thinking he'll change his mind and make a commitment? Should I just cut my losses and move on? Also, do you think he actually means that he wants to be in a relationship, just not with me?

—LOST AND CONFUSED, NW

Unfortunately, one of the simplest criteria for a relationship is having both people acknowledge that they're in a relationship. One person saying it doesn't make it so, just as his declaring that you're "good friends" is inaccurate as well. Good friends do things like keep each other from seeing Vin Diesel movies, not lead each other on or toy with their feelings. I'm not sure what you mean by the fact that you "do everything like a couple," but I can guess, and it sounds like you're getting the shaft.

There's no need to theorize about whether he'll change his mind. What matters most is that you're not getting what you want right now, and he's telling you he's not willing to give it. Regardless of his reasons why not, you're 21 and holding out for a guy who's not only hours away, but who — even when he's with you — isn't with you in the way you want. Sounds like a boat-load of sacrifice for not even a bike-load of payoff. I'm hoping you feel you deserve better.

Send your mental health and emotional wellness questions to Andrea Bonior, Ph.D. at baggage@readexpress.com. This column is not a substitute for one-on-one care.

Letters

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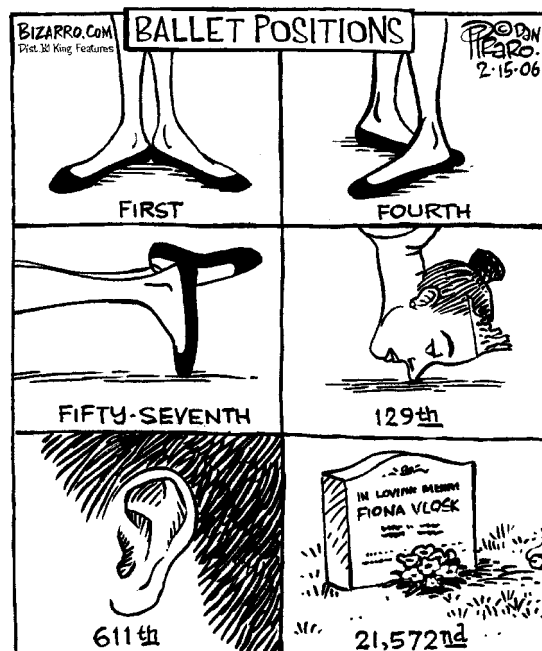
I WAS OFFENDED by [Washington Post columnist] Lisa deMoraes' comment in Monday's Express stating "...I'm just happy football is gone from

ABC's Monday lineup." I consider her comment about "Monday Night Football" small-minded and uninformed. She should reconsider dismissing something that's been a part of American culture for over 30 years just because she is not a sports fan.

—KEVIN TURNER
Burke, Va.

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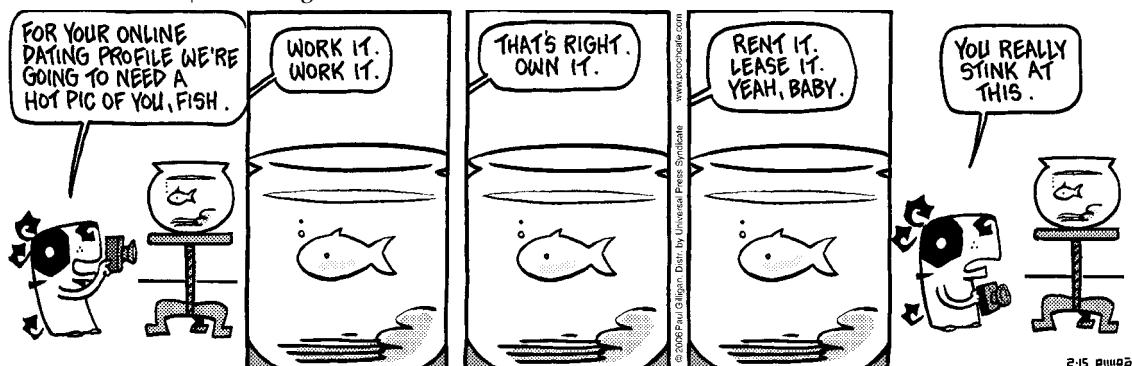
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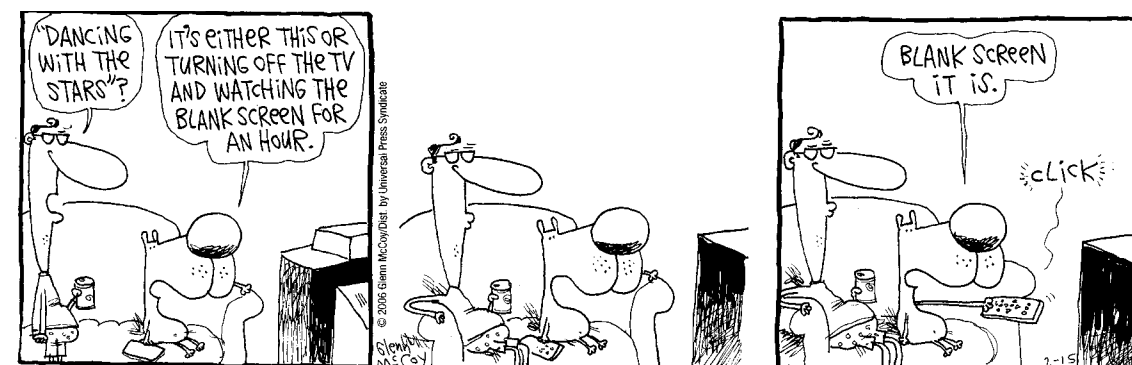
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WEALTH MANAGEMENT

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NOT MILLER'S TIME

“Can someone say, ‘Olympic disappointment?’”

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A POSTER ON WAITERRANT.NET HATES LAST-MINUTE RESERVATION SEEKERS.

Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Relaxation is the key to a successful day. The more uptight you get, the further you will be from the truth in any situation at home or at work. **PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)** Speed is of the essence, but don’t move so quickly that you ignore the more obvious dangers that lie before you. **ARIES (March 21-April 19)** There is no reason for you to think that you don’t have what it takes, but a realistic awareness of your limitations can serve you well. **TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** You can combine business acumen and artistic vision and come up with a plan that can bring you success — if you share it now. **GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** You may have to ask some possibly inappropriate questions during the course of your day — but those close to you will understand. **CANCER (June 21-July 22)** You’ll have reason to sweat something that appears

threatening at first, but which only proves to be a minor inconvenience when all is said and done. **LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Make no mistake about it: you’re in a position to call the shots, but do so in a way that can easily be disguised if necessary. **VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Now is no time to make decisions without thinking. Concentrate on taking a slow and steady approach; in this way you’ll reach your goal. **LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)** Playtime may have to wait as you address a key financial issue that simply won’t wait. Evening hours bring an unusual and intriguing option. **SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)** You can fill your day with a great many creative endeavors — or you can embrace the routine and the mundane. The choice, as always, is yours. **SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)** Don’t let yourself get caught up in any secret deals — at home or at the workplace. Keep everything out in the open. **CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Independence is the key issue, but don’t assert yourself in the wrong areas. Make sure your behavior is acceptable and suitable.

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5 Day Forecast for the Washington Area

Today

Partly sunny, mild in the afternoon
57°

Tonight

Partly cloudy
36°

Thursday

Partly sunny, mild
57° / 44°

Friday

Partly sunny, morning shower, windy
58° / 26°

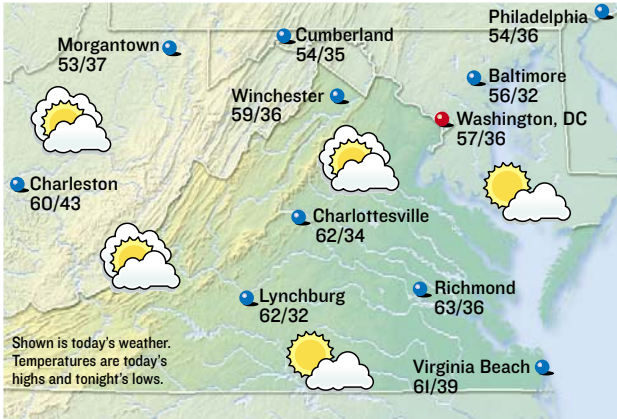
Saturday

Partly sunny, windy, much colder
36° / 20°

Sunday

Partly sunny, cold
32° / 28°

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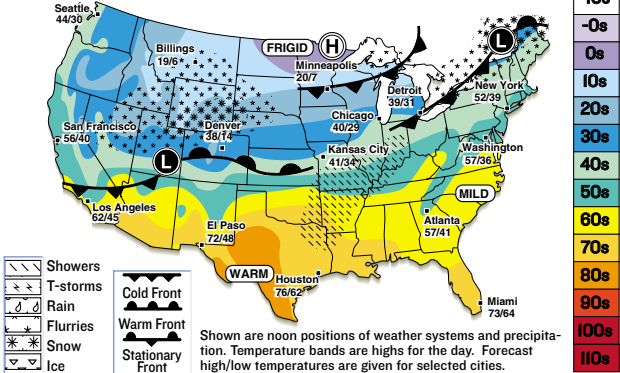
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Sun and Moon

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Sunset tonight 5:45 p.m.
Moonrise today 8:15 p.m.
Moonset today 8:13 a.m.



National Weather for Wednesday, February 15



National Cities

City	Today	Thur.
Atlanta	57/41/w	63/47/w
Boston	52/34/pc	47/40/c
Chicago	40/29/pc	36/15/sn
Dallas	78/58/pc	74/30/pc
Denver	38/14/sf	20/3/sf
Honolulu	79/66/pc	80/66/pc
Los Angeles	62/45/r	62/45/pc
Miami	73/64/sh	78/65/sh
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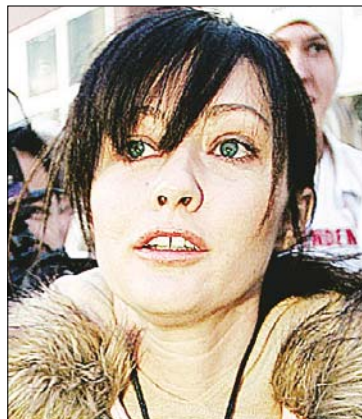
World Cities

City	Today	Thur.
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Sydney	79/68/sh	81/66/sh
Tokyo	63/46/sh	59/43/r

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LOOK out

People



Like a wild stallion, Shannen reared her head and tossed her glossy mane.

DIVAS

Then She Walked Away From the Scene in a Huff

SHANNEN DOHERTY was bruised and cut on her thigh in a car crash that sent another motorist to the hospital, authorities and Doherty's publicist said Tuesday. The 34-year-old actress was making a left turn onto the Pacific Coast Highway in Malibu, Calif., on Monday when there was a collision with another vehicle. The extent of his injuries was not known. (AP)

CLOSURE

Penn's Death an Accident



CHRIS PENN died accidentally from an enlarged heart and the effects of a mix of multiple medications, the Los Angeles county coroner's office said Monday. "There is absolutely no indication that this is anything but an accident," chief coroner investigator Craig Harvey said. (AP)

FINNS

Thanks. Now Leave

CONAN O'BRIEN, who endorsed the re-election of Finnish President Tarja Halonen because of her strong resemblance to him, had a face-to-face meeting with her Tuesday at the presidential palace in downtown Helsinki. O'Brien handed the Nordic country's first female president a box of chocolates in the shape of a red heart as they posed for photographers. Halonen gave him Finnish troll dolls to take home. (AP)



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LIES?

A Valentine's Day Denial to Warm the Heart

Not true. That was **TOM CRUISE** and **KATIE HOLMES**' response Tuesday to a report by Life & Style magazine claiming that the couple split up. "It should be known that the story is 100 percent false," Arnold Robinson,



a publicist for the couple, said. "Mr. Cruise and Ms. Holmes are still engaged and are moving forward with their wedding plans, as well as planning for the arrival of their child." (AP)

INTIMIDATION

'Hey Deputy, Aren't You the Hul— Arghhhhh'

The Incredible Hulk is now a county sheriff's department reserve deputy. **LOU FERRIGNO**, 54, who played the monster from 1977 to 1982, was sworn in during a ceremony in Los Angeles Monday night. "My father was a police officer with the New York Police Department; I've always had a high respect for officers," Ferrigno said. "I want to give back to the community." (AP)



AP

INTELLIGENT DESIGN

Pamela Urges Kentucky To Evolve, Prompting Blank Stares

PAMELA ANDERSON is boycotting the Kentucky Derby. She says her opposition to animal cruelty in all its forms means she can never go back to the famed horse race. "It makes me want to avoid Kentucky altogether, which is sad because there are so many great people there," Anderson said in a statement from the People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals. "I don't want to support cruelty to animals, whether it's forcing horses to race for our amusement or scalding chickens alive for our plate," Anderson said. "We have to be more evolved than this." (AP)



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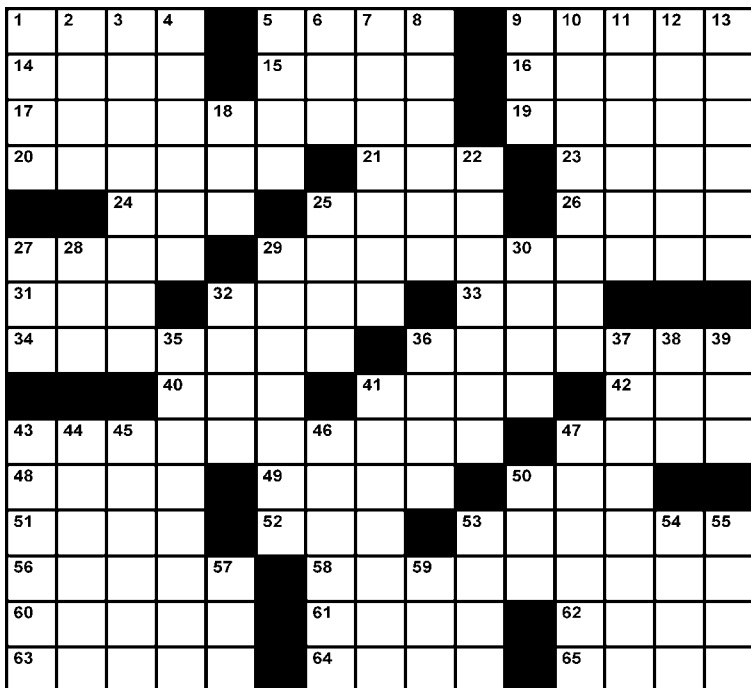
- 1 This may be enough
5 Israeli port city
9 Toward the stern
14 Salon specialty
15 Spiritual mentor
16 Big name in Chicago politics
17 A hit off the wall, perhaps
19 Playful sea mammal
20 They're in a stable environment
21 Clause connector
23 Big city on the Big Island
24 Golf hole start
25 Trap, as a raccoon
26 Fed. gangbusters
27 Cut the fat, e.g.
29 Unswerving
31 "L'____ del Cairo" (Mozart opera)
32 Rapper Snoop
33 Place to raise your spirits?
34 Mythological box opener
36 Patterned fabric
40 "____ Howdy Doody time!"
41 Liner or tanker, e.g.
42 Toothpaste-approving grp.
43 Gun in a Western
47 Initials on a brandy bottle
48 Construction

beam

- 49 Algerian seaport
50 Obtain
51 You may get a hand here
52 Young ibex
53 Greens type
56 Many inhabitants of 49-Across
58 Poolroom item
60 Dentist's request, perhaps
61 "To Sir, With Love" singer
62 Tahiti sweetie
63 Riyadh resident
64 Visibility reducer
65 Actor's goal

DOWN

- 1 Decides
2 Semiaquatic salamander
3 Zagreb resident, e.g.
4 Insignia
5 Reproductive cells
6 Type of nut
7 Alternative to wall-to-wall carpet
8 Ted or Tina
9 Bustle
10 Household fixtures
11 Nissan model
12 Insect's appendage
13 Hollywood Power
18 Sam Adams product
22 Heartache
25 Forum garment
27 Go one better



- 28 Electronics brand
29 Desolated
30 Clever comment
32 "The lady ____ protest too much"
35 Got undressed
36 Fen-____ (banned diet drug combo)
37 Application request
38 Tokyo's former name
39 Puppy sound
41 Riverfront, e.g.
43 They might be drawn
44 Albeniz piano masterpiece
45 Olivia Newton-John film
46 Bay windows
47 Type of abuse
50 Type of feeling
53 Hood
54 Pelvic bones
55 Appealed earnestly
57 ____ Lanka
59 Day-____ (fluorescent paint)

Yesterday's Solution

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Today in History

1764 The city of St. Louis was established.

1879 President Hayes signed a bill to let female attorneys to argue cases before the Supreme Court.

1933 President-elect Roosevelt escaped an assassination attempt in Miami that claimed the life of Chicago Mayor Anton J. Cermak.

1942 The British colony of Singapore surrendered to the Japanese during World War II.

1961 73 people, including an 18-member U.S. figure skating team en route to Czechoslovakia, were killed in an airline crash in Belgium.

1942 The Soviet Union announced that the last of its troops had left Afghanistan, after more than nine years of military intervention.

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Fill in the boxes so that each row, column and 3-by-3 square includes the digits 1 through 9. For solution, tips and computer program, see www.sudoku.com

Yesterday's Solution

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7	3	2	8	9	5	4	1	6
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9	1	4	5	8	2	7	6	3
6	7	5	4	3	1	8	2	9
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